

GERMANS SEEKING TO REGAIN TERRAIN

ACQUIT CHILEAN HEIRESS

Mrs. DeSaulles Not Guilty of Murder of Her Husband

REACH VERDICT IN SHORT TIME

MINEOLA, N. Y., Dec. 1.—It required but one hour and 45 minutes for a jury in supreme court here tonight to reach a verdict of not guilty in the trial of Mrs. Blanca DeSaulles for the murder of her divorced husband, John L. DeSaulles, former Yale football star and clubman, at his home near Westbury, Long Island, the night of August 3.

In the verdict no reference was made to insanity. It was a plea of temporary loss of accountability which formed the basis of the defendant's case.

Mrs. DeSaulles, who had maintained an air of extreme self-possession throughout the two weeks of the trial, reached the verdict smilingly. She shook hands with each of the jurors as they left the box and to each gave a nod of appreciation.

As Mrs. DeSaulles left the court room, a newspaper photographer touched off a flashlight. The shock of the explosion, coupled with the young woman's heightened nervous tension caused her to stagger, but she was prevented from falling by Dr. J. Sherrigan Wight, her physician. She was taken into a nearby room where she soon recovered.

"I am so happy," was her only comment, according to her attorney, Henry F. Bierhart. The case went to the jury at 5:50 o'clock this evening. Justice Manning announced a recess until 8:20, in which the jurors were taken to a hotel for dinner. They returned at 7:40 and began their deliberations.

Legal Custodian of Son.
Mrs. DeSaulles' acquittal automatically establishes her as the only legal custodian of her son, John L. DeSaulles, Jr., according to her attorneys. It was because of her love for the boy, the defendant contended throughout the trial that she went to her former husband's home "The Box" the night of the tragedy. She has stated that as soon as she has cleared up all right to the possession of the child she will take him back to Chile, her native land.

Vina Delmar, the "Virginia by the Sea" as her mother's estate near Santiago, Chile is called, Mrs. DeSaulles intends making her home for the present.

It was this palatial home which Mrs. DeSaulles left in 1911 to become the wife of John L. DeSaulles. She was then a girl of 16 years.

Justice Manning's charge to the jurors clearly defined as the crucial question of the case the point whether, at the time of the shooting, the defendant was in such a mental condition that she knew the nature and the quality of the act and whether it was wrong.

As to the medical experts who testified Justice Manning said it was impossible for them to determine to a certainty whether the defendant was sane or insane when the tragedy occurred.

Their testimony however, is to be taken into consideration insofar as it impresses you as being good evidence and faithful service," he said. "Partial and incipient insanity is not sufficient to excuse a crime of this kind," he declared.

Determination of the mental ability of Mrs. DeSaulles must be a consideration in reaching a verdict, the justice said. Otherwise a verdict of "not guilty" must be returned.

There were not more than fifty persons, aside from press representatives and persons connected with the trial, who heard the announcement of the verdict.

Mrs. Blanca Errazuriz, mother of Mrs. DeSaulles, was not in the court room. She had been on the verge of a complete nervous breakdown for several days, according to Dr. Wight, due to her anxiety regarding the outcome of the trial.

Sister of Defendant Present.
Miss Amalia Errazuriz, a sister,

War News Summarized

General Byng's troops in the Cambrai salient in northern France were on the aggressive again Saturday attacking the Germans who in a determined drive thru the day previous along virtually the entire 18 mile front had thrown back the British from a few of the advanced positions they had captured in their recent drive.

Prompt counter-attacks by Byng's troops while the Germans were still trying to push forward on Friday checked the Teuton advance before it had gained too great an impetus. For a time the situation looked serious for the British however, as the German encircling movement toward the south end of the salient, pivoting on the west bank of the Scheldt north of Bateauaux swung its left flank thru Gonnelleu and on to Gouzeaucourt one and one half miles back to the original British line while its center reached Lavacquerie. There was a hurried exodus of the British from the sector where envelopment was threatened and apparently all but a few of the most exposed parties got clear. Berlin, however, claims the taking of 4,000 British prisoners with several field batteries and despatches from British headquarters report that the British blew up a number of their guns which were in danger of falling into the enemy's hands.

The prompt counter-attacks retrieved much of the lost ground, including the towns of Gouzeaucourt and Lavacquerie where the penetration had been deepest and on Saturday Byng's forces pushed the fighting in an effort for the further recovery of the lost ground.

No admissions of any retrograde movement by the British elsewhere on the front of the attack has come from London war office altho Berlin claims to have thrown the British back upon Graincourt, Annieux and Cantain along the northerly side of the salient. The Germans seem to have gained initial success in this sector but apparently were driven back by the British counter thrusts before they had time to establish themselves.

The German losses in the mass attacks are reported extremely heavy and Byng's forces also suffered considerable casualties in repelling the assaults and in their vigorous counter drives.

On the Italian front there have been no further efforts by the Austro-German forces to break into the Italian line. The attempt, if one is to be made, is apparently awaiting the arrival of heavy guns which are reported on their way to the front. General Diaz's armies appear also to have been largely reinforced both as regards men and artillery. In one sector they have been on the aggressive, probably in attempt to rectify the front slightly according to Berlin, which reports an attack, declared to have been futile, on the Monte Pertica, in the hills between the Brenta and the Piave.

In Palestine, General Allenby's troops, while not undertaking any general attack upon the Turks, have inflicted considerable losses upon them in minor operations along the lines to the northwest of Jerusalem.

FIVE FLIERS ARE GIVEN COMMISSIONS

RANTOUL, Ill., Dec. 1.—Five fliers at Chanute Aviation Field today were given commissions as first lieutenants. The men were: P. H. Clark, St. Louis; Frederick Morlan, Sullivan; J. C. Brackett, Woodward, Okla.; Lawrence Kinnara, Williams-town, W. Va.; Roy Robinson, Greer, S. C.

PROMOTIONS GIVEN

Washington, Dec. 1.—Six brigadier generals of the national army were today promoted to be major generals. They are George H. Cameron, George W. Read, Charles T. Menoher, Charles C. Ballou, Andre Brewster and Charles M. Muir.

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

Chicago, Dec. 1.—Genevieve Pix, Paris, Grand Opera singer, after making her American debut here tonight, announced her engagement to Prince Cyril Narishchkin, a third cousin of Nicholas Romanoff, former czar of Russia. The wedding will take place some time before Jan. 1, it was announced.

Jury's finding was made known. Her brother, William Errazuriz, was said to be at his mother's bedside.

Soon after the jurors filed into the court room, walked to his bench and without saying himself rapped and gavel twice and said:

"I desire to say that regardless of what verdict may be, absolutely no expression of disapproval will be tolerated. There must be no raising of voices and everyone must remain seated until the court is adjourned. No one is to leave the room until that time. Anyone violating these instructions will be remanded to jail, Clerk, receive the verdict."

Daniel E. Sealey, the clerk of the court, asked:

"Gentlemen, have you reached a verdict?"

Each of the twelve jurors answered in the affirmative. Mrs. DeSaulles was instructed to stand upon the defendant.

"Jurors, look upon the jurors, gentlemen, what is your verdict?" asked the clerk.

PRICE OF COAL IS BOOSTED

Wilson Adds \$30,000,000 to Public's Annual Coal Bill

ACTION TO MEET WAGE INCREASE

WASHINGTON, Dec. 1.—A general increase of thirty five cents a ton was added to the price of anthracite coal at the mines today by President Wilson to meet a proposed wage increase for anthracite miners. The new prices are effective beginning today and will add more than \$30,000,000 to the public's annual coal bill.

The wage increase was agreed on by operators and miners representatives here two weeks ago contingent on high coal prices to absorb the raise. When their negotiations ended the operators and miners turned over to the fuel administration their agreement and estimates of what it would add to the cost of production. They asked that prices be raised at least 45 cents a ton.

The situation in the anthracite industry and factors influencing his decision that prices should be increased were set forth by Dr. Garfield in a letter to the president recommending that the increase be put at 35 cents a ton. The letter said:

"In response to my request, the Operators' Association furnished the statements showing in detail tonnage and actual labor costs since the last wage increase May, 1917 and the addition cost per ton if the increase of Nov. 17 is added. These figures were based on examination of over 68,000,000 tons of 85 per cent of the total tonnage estimated for 1917. If the proposed wage increase becomes effective the increased cost placed on the operators will range from 26 cents to 56 cents per ton."

"A small high cost tonnage shows additional costs per ton as high as 70 cents. The weighted average of the above mentioned tonnage accurately figured is 37.2 cents per ton. The increased cost to operators producing about 41,000,000 tons or substantially one half of this year's tonnage, will be 35 cents and upward per ton."

Dr. Garfield then recommended that prices be uniformly increased 35 cents per ton, "provided, that these increases shall not apply to any coal sold at the mine under existing contract containing a provision for an increase for price of coal thereunder, in case of increased wages to miners."

HENRY P. DAY DIED SATURDAY IN PEORIA

Deceased Was for Years Prominent as a Newspaper Writer—Died After Long Illness.

Peoria, Ill., Dec. 1.—Henry P. Day, aged sixty years, widely known in the state as a newspaper man and writer of historical pamphlets, died today at the county home. He had been in ill health for many years and was for a time in the state hospital at Bartonville.

The above lines tell the story of the passing of a well known former Jacksonville resident. For a great many years Mr. Day was employed in the offices of Jacksonville newspapers. After leaving this city he was for a number of years in the service of a newspaper, and writings from his pen appeared in various other Illinois publications.

Those who knew Mr. Day well appreciated the fact of his unusually fine intellect and the gentleness of his spirit. Over-strain some years ago affected his mind at times, but he nevertheless continued to write much for publication. More than a year ago in a Peoria street car accident he suffered a broken leg and has spent almost all of his only near days in the hospital. His only near relative, Dr. Alfred E. Day, has for the past twenty five years been connected with the college at Beirut, Syria.

I. W. W. LEADER ACQUITTED

Tucson, Ariz., Dec. 1.—In superior court today, A. S. Embree, one of the men deported from Bisbee, Ariz., July 12, and alleged leader of the Industrial Workers of the World organization among the striking copper miners there was acquitted by a jury in five minutes today of a charge of rioting in connection with

HOOVER OVERRULES PACKERS' OBJECTIONS

Protest Fails to Shake Food Administration

Decision That Packers' Earnings Shall Not Exceed Nine Per Cent Maximum Profit Will Stand—Meat Men Want Larger Per Cent Profit For Plant Expansion.

Washington, Dec. 1.—A protest today by Chicago packers failed to shake the food administration's decision to enforce regulations which will cut packing profits to nine per cent. The packers' objections were presented to Food Administrator Hoover personally by representatives of the five great packing houses.

The decision that earnings shall not exceed nine per cent maximum profit was reached, the packers were told, after a careful investigation of pre-war profits and after consideration was given to the entire situation. Pre-war profits, the investigation disclosed were slightly less than nine per cent. Any profit higher than that, Mr. Hoover declared would force producers and consumers of the country to pay for plant expansion and would raise a serious question of public policy and the rights of the public in expansion of that sort.

Packers urged that limiting their profits would limit their borrowing capacity and that they could not expand to maintain their efficiency and to meet the annual increase in the world's demands. New capital for the purpose they said would be difficult to find during the war.

Mr. Hoover expressed the opinion that since the export demand for the packing products is greater than the supply there can be no lack of confidence by banks in the packers' earning capacity. If the packers exhaust their ability to find capital, are unable to expand from their earnings, and the government needs extensions to meet war needs the case, Mr. Hoover said, would be considered on its merits.

Any regulation imposed by the government the packers said, would be observed but any responsibility for future shortage in production would fall on the food administration. It is not their desire, they declared, to earn excessive war profits, but money must be had for extensions.

GERMANS SEND OUT GERM LADEN BALLOONS

Stories Related by Americans Returning from Front—Three Awarded Croix de Guerre.

Boston, Dec. 1.—Stories of germ laden balloons that floated across the line from the German front were related today by the members of a party of eighteen American volunteers in the ambulance service which arrived in this country Thanksgiving Day.

Crimson colored toy balloons are the favorite instrument of unofficial communication with the allies in the trenches when the Teutons have depressing news to make known to them. It has been discovered it is said that the little balloons frequently carry deadly germs intended to breed epidemics and now no soldier is permitted to touch one until it has been examined by a member of the medical corps.

In the party were three of the Beloit college ambulance unit of six which sailed for France early in May. All three won the Croix de Guerre for bravery in attending the wounded amidst heavy shell fire and in defiance of gas waves. They were: William L. Huffman and Ellwood H. Aldrich of Rockford, Ill., and Theodore Miles of Mount Carroll, Ill.

SOLDIERS LOOK FORWARD TO XMAS

With the American Army in France, Dec. 1.—By the Associated Press.—Christmas is the next red letter day on the calendar of the American soldiers in France. There then will be another dinner which will surpass even Thanksgiving, judging by the plans. All sorts of celebrations will take place and many Christmas boxes and presents are expected by the men.

For the last week the small shops in the villages have been besieged by American customers. They have bought everything from unique ornaments to elaborate embroideries and the goods have gone so fast that in some places the stores look as if the proprietors had moved out.

Many of the men have made plans to set up and decorate trees for the little ones in French households in which they are billeted or been welcomed as guests.

PASSENGER DERAILED

Edwardsville, Ill., Dec. 1.—Four cars of Wabash passenger train No. 3, Detroit to St. Louis, were derailed here at 8:30 this morning. The express car, the combination car, a day coach and a sleeping car left the track. No one was injured. The track was blocked several hours. The first three cars turned over.

\$17,000 FOR A BULL

Waukesha, Wis., Dec. 1.—What is believed to be a world's record price for a bull was established here today when Burton F. Miles, of Chicago bought Anoga Champion, thirteen years old, for \$17,000.

DEMAND INCREASE IN WAGES

Trainmen Ask 40 Per Cent Wage Raise from the Railroads

ROADS TO ANSWER BY FIRST OF YEAR

CLEVELAND, O., Dec. 1.—Demands were presented to practically every railroad in the country today for increase in wages for trainmen and conductors which are approximately 40 per cent higher than the present scale. The general chairman of the two labor organizations presented the wage schedule to the general managers of the railroads throughout the country today. The railroads are asked to make answer to the demands by Dec. 31 at the latest.

The railroad managers are requested to enter into a collective movement for the purpose of handling the proposition at one time thru a joint committee representing all railroads concerned and the two labor organizations stand ready to do likewise.

It is expected that the railroad managers and the representatives of the employees will meet in joint session in about two weeks probably in the east in an effort to reach an agreement on a wage question.

Today's demand for increased wages is the result of a referendum vote taken by the two labor organizations following the approval of the proposition by the executive committees of the several associations representing the two organizations which met in Chicago, Nov. 1 to 4 inclusive.

The new wage schedule is signed by W. G. Lee, president of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen and A. B. Garretson, president of the Order of Railway Conductors.

The schedule makes passenger service rates on runs of 155 miles or less per day. Conductors not less than 3.5 cents per mile, \$5.43 per day of \$162.90 per month.

Ticket collectors not less than 3 cents per mile, \$4.65 per day or \$139.50 per month.

Baggage electricians not less than 2.9 cents per mile, \$3.50 per day. Baggage men not less than 2.5 per mile, \$3.88 per day, \$116.40 per month.

Flagmen and brakemen not less than 2.33 cents per mile, \$3.61 per day or \$108.30 per month.

Passenger trainmen on short turn-around runs, no single trip on which exceeds eighty miles including suburban and branch line service shall be paid overtime for all time on duty in excess of eight hours (computed on each run from the time required to report for duty until released from duty and responsibility at the end of that run) within ten consecutive hours and also for all time first required to report until finally released at the end of last run and will be computed for each employee on the basis of actual overtime worked or held for duty. Time shall be counted as continuous service in all cases where the interval of release from duty at any point does not exceed one hour.

Other passenger trainmen shall be paid for overtime on a speed basis of not less than twenty miles per hour computed continuously from the time required to report for duty until released at the end of the last run. Overtime shall be computed on the basis of actual overtime worked or held for duty.

RAILROADER DECAPITATED

Clinton, Ia., Dec. 1.—Peter Stuhlman, employed on a Milwaukee railway section crew was decapitated this morning when a passenger train which had been halted between Preston and Miles, Ia., pending the completion of a minor track repair started as Stuhlman was leaning over the track. His head was completely severed from his body. The dead man resided in Preston.

MAURICE DUNNE MARRIED

Chicago, Dec. 1.—Lieutenant Maurice Dunne, one of the five sons of former Governor Dunne of Illinois, was married here today to Miss Janet Pyott. Tonight Lieutenant Dunne and his bride will depart for Fort Monro where Lieutenant Dunne is with the mobile coast artillery.

MAKE APPLICATION FOR INCORPORATION PAPERS

Springfield, Ill., Dec. 1.—Application for incorporation papers was filed here today by the J. G. Redmond Mill Work Company of Rockford, capitalized at \$15,000.

Telegraph Notes

WASHINGTON, Dec. 1.—First Lieutenant Wallace A. Belfey, medical officer of the reserve corps, attached to the British forces has been seriously wounded in action, the war department was advised today by General Pershing. Lieutenant Belfey is the son of the Rev. M. W. Belfey, 319 East Lincoln Ave., Belvidere, Ill.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 1.—Arlyn Hawthorne, star of the Ames cross-country team, won the annual five mile run of the Kansas City Athletic club here this afternoon. His time was 29 minutes, 30 seconds.

Sergeant L. J. Claiborne, Battery B, thirty fourth field artillery, Camp Funston, finished second, one minute behind the winner.

L. W. Dewell, Kansas University was third.

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla., Dec. 1.—Resolutions condemning United States Senator Gore for detaining legislation necessary for the successful prosecution of the war were adopted by the teachers of the Oklahoma education association here today.

OAKLAND, Cal., Dec. 1.—Mrs. Daffy Summers, said to be the oldest colored woman in California and a former cook in the employment of Abraham Lincoln, died here today, aged 106 years. She is survived by two great-great-grandchildren and three other generations. She was born in Alabama.

NEW YORK, Dec. 1.—Andrea Mantegna's panel Judeth with the head of Holofernes for several centuries one of the world's famous small paintings, 7 by 13 inches has been purchased by Carl W. Hamilton of this city, it became known today. Mr. Hamilton is reported to have paid \$200,000 for it, to a Fifth avenue art dealer.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 1.—Edgar Alias "Scarface" Reilly, was arrested today by federal officers and held without bail in the night court for extradition to Springfield, Mo., on a charge of kidnaping. Requisition papers will be sent here, altho the police said he was wanted in connection with the Keet kidnaping case his brother-in-law, James Sand, with whom he was living here denied Reilly knew the police were searching for him.

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY IN FRANCE, Dec. 1.—Officers of the American soldier units in training here have asked the Associated Press to inform the American people that the soldiers lack reading material. They said that the comparatively small quantity of magazines and newspapers which have been arriving is eagerly read by the men. Some of the publications passed thru dozens of readers' hands until the pages actually were in fragments and were thus read by others.

HOT SPRINGS, Ark., Dec. 1.—M. C. McGraw, banker of Walnut Ridge, who disappeared here last May and whose remains were found today was a suicide, according to the belief of officers expressed here tonight.

McGraw, it is said drank heavily after the death of his wife about a year ago and was brought here by a niece for treatment. He left most of the money he had on his person with his niece the day he disappeared and nothing ever was heard of him, until today his bones and clothing were found in the attic of an unoccupied building. His pocketbook, watch, ring and other effects were found intact.

SIXTEEN LIVES LOST IN MINE EXPLOSION

CHRISTOPHER, Ill., Dec. 1.—Sixteen bodies of miners who lost their lives in the explosion Thursday night in the Old Ben Coal Corporation Mine four miles north of here had been located tonight. The bodies of two more men who are thought to have been killed, have not been found. Four bodies have been brought to the surface and twelve are at the bottom of the main shaft.

Many of the bodies were so badly charred that identification was impossible. The bodies of J. W. Beamer and his son, Warren, electricians, were taken to Duquoin for burial.

NEW METHOD OF TREATING PARALYSIS

CHICAGO, Dec. 1.—A new method of treating infantile paralysis by causing a rush of blood to the injured cells of the spinal chord and so simple of application that any doctor can use it, according to its discoverer Dr. R. Bernard of Chicago was made public today after many months of trial. Dr. Bernard said his system was only an application of hyperemia or the forcing of blood to certain portions of the body and had been given to physicians thru the medical journal last month. It was said that treatments had shown 80 per cent of recoveries.

ILLINOIS DAY

Next Wednesday will be observed as Illinois day at the Woman's College. President Harker has arranged for an appropriate program at 10 o'clock, the chapel hour. An address will be made by Horace H. Bancroft, now a special representative of the Illinois Centennial commission.

LAUNCH MIGHTY ATTACK

FIERCE FIGHTING

Hand-to-Hand Struggle of a Most Terrific Nature Take Place at Gouzeaucourt

BRITISH HEADQUARTERS IN FRANCE, Dec. 1.—By the Associated Press.—The Hindenberg troops yesterday made their first pretentious attempt to oust the British from the territory won by General Byng last week. They have thus far failed to accomplish their object altho they captured a considerable stretch of territory in the Gonnelleu region.

Two great attacks were delivered yesterday morning. One extended from Moeuvres to Bourlon wood; the other was along approximately 12,000 yard front between Vendhuile on the south and Creve Coeur on the north. Both assaults were made in very strong force and the infantry was supported by fire from newly concentrated German guns.

In the northern attack the Germans succeeded in pushing down between Moeuvres and Bourlon wood for a considerable distance, but were hurled back by a counter-attack after particularly sanguinary fighting. The line in this section today was virtually as it stood before the Germans attacked.

In the southern battle the Germans broke thru the British front south of Villers-Guislain and by executing a turning movement to the north, succeeded in enveloping the Gauche wood, Gouzeaucourt, Gonnelleu and Lavacquerie temporarily. After the first shock of the attack by a superior number of forces the British organized a counter attack and sent up reinforcements. The British troops were thrown against Germans in Gouzeaucourt which represented the enemy's extreme advance, a distance of about 4,000 yards. The Germans got into Gouzeaucourt about ten o'clock in the morning and from that hour until three o'clock in the afternoon hand-to-hand fighting of a most terrible nature took place there. The British were outnumbered but so furious were their onslaught that they pushed the Germans back from the town and reoccupied it. Just east of Gouzeaucourt is a ridge and the Germans had occupied this in force. The British continued their attacks and gradually forced the enemy from this ridge to the lower ground beyond. As a result the ridge was retaken by the British, together with Gauche wood southeast of Gouzeaucourt and they pushed on the western edge of Gonnelleu. In the meantime a British counter attack at Lavacquerie had proceeded successfully and the Germans were thrown out of this place with heavy losses. The German line this morning was just west of Villers-Guislain, which represented an advance of about 3,000 yards. At Gonnelleu the enemy had made very little advance and his gain farther north had virtually been nullified in many places. At no point is the advance so great as in the Villers-Guislain sector.

MAY RECOVER FROM INJURIES

Camp Dodge, Ia., Dec. 1.—Corporal J. A. Smith of Kansas City, member of the 313 field signal battalion may recover it was said today, from the injuries he received yesterday when he fell from a motor bus. He is in the base hospital.

WEATHER INDICATIONS AND TEMPERATURES

Illinois:—Increasing cloudiness Sunday, warmer north and central; Monday, rain.

Temperatures

The current, maximum and minimum temperatures as recorded Saturday were:

Jacksonville	43	50	28
Boston	38	42	38
Buffalo	32	34	34
New York	40	44	40
New Orleans	60	70	50
Chicago	36	39	33
Detroit	34	38	32
Omaha	46	54	32
Minneapolis	24	24	32
Helena	22	42	32
San Francisco	56	62	54
Winnipeg	18	18	5

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This is a slow war. Our forces are yet nearly six hundred miles from Berlin.

The session of congress to meet next Tuesday promises to exceed in importance any in the history of the nation.

Of the good resulting from the present war none stands more prominent than the advance shown in surgery.

At a conference now going on in Paris sixteen great countries are represented, and they are planning for the good of the world, of which they constitute so large a part.

One hundred and twelve years ago today the famous battle of Austerlitz was fought. The battle only lasted a short winter day. It was decisive.

POTATOES PLentiful. The British government fixed a minimum price of 80 cents a bushel on potatoes, as this Government fixed a price on wheat, to stimulate production.

It is reported that not a single ton of potatoes will be shipped to England or France this winter.

NON-SECTARIAN SERVICE. A religious service in which all sectarian ties have been broken, even those separating Catholic, Protestant and Jew, would have seemed an impossibility a year ago, but the war has brought about such a happy occasion in Philadelphia.

the Religious Service Committee of the State Defense Board, composed of Bishop Thomas J. Garland of the Episcopal church, Bishop E. Berry of the Methodist church, Rev. William H. Roberts of the Presbyterian church, Rev. Edwin H. Delk of the Lutheran denomination, Rev. John E. Flood of the Roman Catholic church, and Rabbi Joseph Krauskopf of the Jewish faith. While intended primarily for soldiers and sailors, the services will be open to the general public.

RECLAMATION CAMPS. Senator Pomeroy of Ohio will introduce a bill at the coming session of Congress to provide for "reclamation camps," in which young men who have been rejected under the draft because of slight physical defects may be given the outdoor life and the proper physical training to make of them fine specimens of manhood.

Properly enough, the army authorities could not take any chances with men somewhat below the physical standards set when the intention was to order them into immediate service. Reports from surgeons all over the country have shown that many men were rejected who probably could be turned into fine soldier material if opportunity was given to submit them to what might be termed nature's treatment.

It has been estimated by the authorities that the number of young Americans who can be put upon a sound physical foundation by the reclamation camps runs into the hundreds of thousands. Senator Pomeroy says that he has been told by physicians that nearly 9 per cent of the men rejected for the navy and the regular army for physical reasons can be built up and fitted for military service.

FIGHT THE ENEMY. Congress will soon be in session again, and one of its first acts should be to pass laws that those guilty of any word, action or movement, hostile to the Government, or which in any way embarrasses the Administration in its war purpose, shall feel the heavy hand of the law, says the Oil City Derrick.

The people of the United States have pledged their honor, their lives and their wealth to carry on this war to a successful conclusion and any person who as much as raises a finger against this success or utters a word to lessen the spirit of patriotism, deserves the punishment due to traitors. The enemy should be fought wherever found, and there are many right in this country that are more dangerous than those in the trenches. As the Lexington Herald says: "No jail is too strong, no dungeon too dark, no punishment too severe for the German spy or American traitor who by act or word attempts to hamper or to hinder our full participation in this war. Its the man who pretends not to know that a blow at one of our Allies is a blow at our own government, who should now be held up to public scorn and as quickly as possible be made to feel the rigor of the law."

WHAT A SOLDIER WANTS. Don't try coddling soldiers. Should you succeed, which is not likely, you will do him no good. The youngster who gets into a uniform finds in it consciousness, such as he never felt before, that, having undergone a series of rigid physical tests, he has been officially declared to be a man. He knows it then, and his disdain of everything partaking of weakness or luxury is beyond telling. He is looking for danger, privation and exposure, and he feels himself fit. He keeps his zest for amusement and keenly wants to retain touch and companionship with the folks back home, whom he feels that he is serving and is delighted to serve, under the commission of a government which has chosen and selected him as a perfect man to do the needed service. He likes warmth and comfort and company, when off duty—such as the Red Triangle can offer him—but the thing he likes most of all is to be remembered at home, in the home itself and in the home town. He wants letters, says the Globe-Democrat.

Before the war between the states, beginning in 1861, a sentimental song called "Do They Miss Me at Home?" had a million vogue, but had never attained popularity and never could have attained it but for the going out of countless thousands of soldiers, severing their home ties, sacrificing some of the most fruitful years of their lives. Then it flamed into popularity which even the sectional lines drawn by the war could not limit. Both in the North and in the South it expressed that human feeling which proclaims our everlasting kinship, despite all madness of war. One verse is worth recalling now because it sings the soldier's chief want, in camp or field:

"Do they miss me at home, do they miss me?"

"Would be an assurance most dear, To know that this moment some loved one Were saying, 'I wish he were here.'"

To feel that the group at the fireside Are thinking of me as I roam. Oh, yes, 'twould be joy without measure To know that they miss me at home."

Plain, simple unpretentious lines, and not set to catchy music. But because they spoke something out of the hearts of the men then at the front, and the men and women at home, they sprang into a circulation which even broke over the barriers of picket lines. And men are now (at least the soldier men are) just what they were then. The soldiers of one generation are as the soldiers of past generations. Otherwise wars must cease forever. Write! They want to hear from you. You cannot possibly write too often for them. Give them assurance that not only are they not forgotten at home, but their friends everywhere remember them. If only a postal, saying little more than "Hello," it will be as a cooling shadow in a weary land.

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An invitation to the convention from the Aurora Commercial club to meet in that city next year was read, and a letter from Charles Wood, last president, now a soldier.

Then F. A. Crosby spoke on the Boys' working reserve.

Tells of Work in Europe The speaker pictured in eloquent terms the fighting line in France; the engagement when men are hungry, cold, suffering and wounded and then he told of the noble efforts of the army Y. M. C. A. to supply the need for food in emergency and success for the wounded. Then he told how many had been called from the land, men in the very prime of life and doing the work of the country and said if the war is to succeed; if our land is to be saved from the ruthless savages of Germany, we must produce food for ourselves and the allies and all boys should go to the fields as far as possible.

They can be excused from school April 15 and should at once go. The farmers will produce enough if they can only know they can get help on the land. Thus can the boys under twenty feel that they are serving as well as their brothers in the trenches.

Christianity in Everyday Life A grand address was made by R. A. Waite of Chicago on "The World's Appeal for Leadership." He painted in vivid colors the inhuman atrocities practiced on helpless boys from 8 to 15 years of age by the German army and urged all to arouse themselves to aid in any way that will put an end to the infamous government that will do such cruel things.

Then he asked his audience what would be the chief figure on their coat of arms; what would be the aim in life of each one there. He quoted with great fervor, the words of the wise man, "He hath set the world in their heart." He told of an awkward verdant giant at college whom he had especially fathered. First the young man joined the rowing crew, became captain and helped win several notable victories and then went abroad and was now at the head of Y. M. C. A. army work in France.

A boy can be a Christian in school, in ball team, everywhere and he should not let the evil ones take the prizes in athletics either. Two faithful Christians may purify a rotten football team; one basketball team and a small band a community if devoted and earnest. Your challenge is to have the name of Christ above all other names and make him your leader.

After various announcements the audience was dismissed by Mr. Waite.

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MATRIMONIAL Wells-Sanderson. Word has been received in Jacksonville of the marriage of Nellie P. Sanderson of Chicago to Ralph G. Wells of Denver, Colo., the ceremony taking place in Chicago, Nov. 29. They will visit in this part of the country for a short time and then will go to California for the winter. After which they will be at Kenmark Hotel, Denver, Colo. Mrs. Wells is a sister of Mrs. C. E. Scott of this city.

A GREAT VARIETY OF NOBBY COATS AT SPECIAL LOW PRICES THIS WEEK AT HERMAN'S.

TO NATIONAL CONVENTION. James H. Danskin and son Kenneth will leave Monday for Washington, D. C., for a two weeks stay. Mr. Danskin goes as a delegate from Illinois to the National convention of the Anti-Saloon league which convenes on Wednesday.

THE POULTRY SHOW. The poultry show closed yesterday and in the matter of the quality of the exhibits it was a great success. The attendance was hardly what it should have been tho it was good a part of the time. The humble fowl is hardly appreciated as it should be in this locality but still it supplies us lots of money.

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REMEMBER THE BOYS' LUNCHEON AT FIVE O'CLOCK Attention is again called to the luncheon to be tendered the visiting boys at five o'clock this afternoon at the Christian church. All ladies are invited to be present and bring along sandwiches and salads or any kind of conveniently portable refreshments and enjoy an hour and a half socially with our young visitors.

CONTINUATION OF THEIR SUCCESSFUL 1/4 OFF SUIT SALE DURING THIS WEEK AT HERMAN'S.

MR. HEIMLICH'S APPOINTMENTS D. T. Heimlich, the well known poultry expert and judge has just returned from a judging trip to Moberly, Missouri. His next objective point is Abilene, Ill., and thence he is to go to Muskogee, Oklahoma, to judge a county exhibit and then to Elk City, Oklahoma, to act as judge in a state exhibit.

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The session of congress to meet next Tuesday promises to exceed in importance any in the history of the nation.

Of the good resulting from the present war none stands more prominent than the advance shown in surgery.

At a conference now going on in Paris sixteen great countries are represented, and they are planning for the good of the world, of which they constitute so large a part.

One hundred and twelve years ago today the famous battle of Austerlitz was fought. The battle only lasted a short winter day. It was decisive.

POTATOES PLentiful. The British government fixed a minimum price of 80 cents a bushel on potatoes, as this Government fixed a price on wheat, to stimulate production.

It is reported that not a single ton of potatoes will be shipped to England or France this winter.

NON-SECTARIAN SERVICE. A religious service in which all sectarian ties have been broken, even those separating Catholic, Protestant and Jew, would have seemed an impossibility a year ago, but the war has brought about such a happy occasion in Philadelphia.

the Religious Service Committee of the State Defense Board, composed of Bishop Thomas J. Garland of the Episcopal church, Bishop E. Berry of the Methodist church, Rev. William H. Roberts of the Presbyterian church, Rev. Edwin H. Delk of the Lutheran denomination, Rev. John E. Flood of the Roman Catholic church, and Rabbi Joseph Krauskopf of the Jewish faith. While intended primarily for soldiers and sailors, the services will be open to the general public.

RECLAMATION CAMPS. Senator Pomeroy of Ohio will introduce a bill at the coming session of Congress to provide for "reclamation camps," in which young men who have been rejected under the draft because of slight physical defects may be given the outdoor life and the proper physical training to make of them fine specimens of manhood.

Properly enough, the army authorities could not take any chances with men somewhat below the physical standards set when the intention was to order them into immediate service. Reports from surgeons all over the country have shown that many men were rejected who probably could be turned into fine soldier material if opportunity was given to submit them to what might be termed nature's treatment.

It has been estimated by the authorities that the number of young Americans who can be put upon a sound physical foundation by the reclamation camps runs into the hundreds of thousands. Senator Pomeroy says that he has been told by physicians that nearly 9 per cent of the men rejected for the navy and the regular army for physical reasons can be built up and fitted for military service.

FIGHT THE ENEMY. Congress will soon be in session again, and one of its first acts should be to pass laws that those guilty of any word, action or movement, hostile to the Government, or which in any way embarrasses the Administration in its war purpose, shall feel the heavy hand of the law, says the Oil City Derrick.

The people of the United States have pledged their honor, their lives and their wealth to carry on this war to a successful conclusion and any person who as much as raises a finger against this success or utters a word to lessen the spirit of patriotism, deserves the punishment due to traitors. The enemy should be fought wherever found, and there are many right in this country that are more dangerous than those in the trenches. As the Lexington Herald says: "No jail is too strong, no dungeon too dark, no punishment too severe for the German spy or American traitor who by act or word attempts to hamper or to hinder our full participation in this war. Its the man who pretends not to know that a blow at one of our Allies is a blow at our own government, who should now be held up to public scorn and as quickly as possible be made to feel the rigor of the law."

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Before the war between the states, beginning in 1861, a sentimental song called "Do They Miss Me at Home?" had a million vogue, but had never attained popularity and never could have attained it but for the going out of countless thousands of soldiers, severing their home ties, sacrificing some of the most fruitful years of their lives. Then it flamed into popularity which even the sectional lines drawn by the war could not limit. Both in the North and in the South it expressed that human feeling which proclaims our everlasting kinship, despite all madness of war. One verse is worth recalling now because it sings the soldier's chief want, in camp or field:

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Order your Sunday dinner ice cream of Mullenix & Hamilton.

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Music at Peacock Inn Sunday evening.

Mrs. Harold Strawn of Alexander was a shopper in the city yesterday. George Coker of Pisgah was a city caller in the city yesterday. Mrs. M. A. Benson of Alexander was a traveler to the city yesterday. Miss Marie Arenz of Arenzville was a city shopper yesterday. E. L. Sweet of Franklin made a business trip to the city yesterday. George Wackerle of Alexander was a city caller yesterday. Bright Sears of Waverly made a business trip to the city yesterday. Edward Riley was a city arrival from Woodson yesterday.

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Special sale household articles and furniture Tuesday, 10 to 4 o'clock. John N. Ward, 412 N. Church St.

Warren and Robert Smith drove up to the city from Woodson yesterday in their Crow-Elkhart car. B. E. Cedarquist of Chicago is the guest of his friends, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Andre of this city. Harley Foddrill of Ashland made a business trip to the city yesterday. M. S. Wilcox of Alexander was among the arrivals in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Irvin Patterson of the northeast part of the county visited the city yesterday. Petron Bland of Franklin brought his family to town in his Ford car yesterday. P. J. Crotty helped represent Woodson precinct in the city yesterday. George Wheeler drove down from Sinclair in his Hupmobile car yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Chambers and son Henry were up to the city from Naples yesterday. **Turkey supper and bazar — Centenary church, Dec. 4th.** J. E. Osborne of Murrayville was transacting business in the city yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Scholfield of Lynnville precinct were city callers yesterday. Henry Walbaum of Alexander was one of the callers in the city yesterday. E. E. Mason of the east part of the county was transacting business in the city yesterday. Elmer Smith of the vicinity of Grace Chapel was attending to his interests in the city yesterday. Walter Long of Litterberry was among the arrivals in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. James H. Devine of Alverton were business visitors in Jacksonville Saturday. Miss Fannie English of Palmyra was among the Saturday visitors in Jacksonville.

Music at Peacock Inn Sunday evening. Richard Cox of Waverly was among the business visitors in the city yesterday. Sebastian Kumble of Alexander was among the visitors in the city yesterday. Alfred Cox of Terre Haute, Indiana, is visiting his mother in this vicinity.

Claude Keenan of Alexander drove to the city in his Buick car yesterday. E. S. Sheppard of Nortonville made a trip to the city in his Buick car yesterday.

J. K. Bennett of Orleans was attending to affairs in the city yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lukeman of the east part of the county called in the city yesterday.

Prince Coates and family of the region of Riggston rode to town in their Ross & car yesterday. Oliver Lindsay of the north part of the county was transacting business in the city yesterday.

SPECIAL SALE OF ALL WOOL SWEATERS MONDAY AND TUESDAY AT HERMAN'S. Mrs. John Lonergan of Murrayville made a shopping trip to the city yesterday.

Guy Wilday of Meredosia drove to the city in his National car yesterday. Henry Strawn of Strawn's Crossing made a trip to town in his Jeffery car yesterday.

A. L. White of Roodhouse traveled to the city in his Cadillac car yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Kebler of Quincy were visitors with city friends yesterday.

C. M. Strang of Bushnell was one of the travelers to the city yesterday. Mrs. Orion Woodson of Bluffs made a shopping trip to the city yesterday.

Louis Leathridge and family came down to the city from Arcadia yesterday in their Maxwell car. C. E. Clark and family of the north part of the county were city callers yesterday.

Mrs. C. W. Rudisill of the northwest part of the county was one of the city shoppers yesterday. William Glossop of Winchester traveled to the city in his Ford car yesterday.

Thomas Fox of Sinclair made a business trip to the city yesterday. **Turkey supper and bazar — Centenary church, Dec. 4th.**

Herman Baumaister of Buckhorn was one of the city arrivals yesterday. Carl West and Scott B. Green of Antioch were travelers to the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Arnold of Arnold Station visited city people yesterday. John Moss of the northwest part of the county was a city caller yesterday.

Benjamin Allen of the northeast part of the county was transacting business in the city yesterday. Allen and Riley Spahnower, W. H. Mosely, Luther Crawford, S. T.

Zachary, Harrison Davenport were city arrivals from Pisgah yesterday. Louis Perbix and Allison Thompson of Markham were visitors in the city yesterday.

Charles Lake of the northwest part of the county was a city visitor yesterday. G. D. Childs of Mason City was calling on local merchants yesterday.

R. B. Kersey of Muncie, Ind., was called to the city on business Saturday.

C. L. Fitzgerald of Monroe City, Mo., spent Saturday in the city looking after business matters. Mrs. H. B. Boone of Chandlerville was a Jacksonville shopper Saturday.

John A. Adkins of Prentice was attending to matters of business in the city yesterday. W. E. Rawlings of Lynnville was transacting business with local merchants Saturday.

Squire James B. Beekman was calling on Jacksonville friends yesterday. **FOR JEWELRY**

Schram & Buhrman's Store. Ivan Wood of Pisgah was shaking hands with business acquaintances in the city yesterday. J. G. Dowell of Franklin was a Jacksonville business caller yesterday.

James Hellwell and Earl Hem George Sturdy of west of the city was a business visitor in Jacksonville Saturday.

Mr. Hager was attending to matters of a business nature in the city yesterday. Charles L. Reid of the Ebenezer neighborhood was calling on Jacksonville business acquaintances Saturday.

Thomas O. Coultas of the west part of the county was attending to business interests in Jacksonville yesterday. **Music at Peacock Inn Sunday evening.**

Andrew Johnson, Charles McDonald, Willard Young, James Litter and Durrell Crum were down to the city from Litterberry yesterday.

John Leach of west of Jacksonville was attending to business interests in Jacksonville Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Robertson, Ernie Strawn and wife, Charles M. Strawn and wife, were arrivals in the city from Alexander yesterday.

Robert Coates and wife, Charles Gibbs, W. E. Rawlings and Wiley Todd were city arrivals from Lynnville yesterday.

Bert Pershall of East St. Louis enjoyed a visit yesterday with his esteemed friend, Dr. C. E. Scott of this city. **Plenty of oysters at the Star Restaurant.**

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Hayes have returned to their home in Bloomington after a visit with Mrs. Hayes' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Meany. Miss Esther Hartley of Centralia was a visitor in the city Saturday, leaving in the evening for Bluffs, where she will visit over Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. James Hanley.

William Scheferkork of Alexander and Roy Lomb of Jacksonville were added to the list of the young men that will enter the local government telegraph school, Saturday.

Richard Butler, Thomas Lonergan, Jerome Culp, Samuel Henry, William D. Henry and Lawrence Henry were city arrivals from Woodson yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. John G. Patterson of Springfield have returned home after spending Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Hal C. Fouk of the Dunlap hotel. Mrs. C. Patterson is a sister of Mrs. Fouk.

Mrs. S. P. Jones and daughters, Martha, Margaret and Roberta have returned from Chandlerville where they spent Thanksgiving with Rev. Harry Willard and family.

SALE OF COATS, SUITS, DRESSES AND MILLINERY AT GREATLY REDUCED PRICES THIS WEEK—SOME OF THE CHOICEST STYLES AND QUALITIES OF THE WINTER GO IN THIS SALE.

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CLUBS AND SOCIETIES

The Literary Union will meet Monday evening with Dr. E. F. Baker. Subject, "Some More About Gerard's Book." Leader, Dr. David Reid.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of Grace church will hold its annual open meeting Tuesday, December 4th at 7:30 at the home of Mrs. S. W. Hise, 826 West College avenue. Each member will be allowed to bring a guest and the Christmas offering will be taken at this time. All members must remember the boys in the trenches and let us not forget our missionary who is doing great work.

The East Side Tuesday Club will meet Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock with Mrs. W. D. Doying, 611 West College street.

The Reverend James Caldwell Chapter D. A. R. have postponed their meeting of December 3rd and will meet on Tuesday, December 4th with Miss Trabue to sew for the Red Cross.

The Case committee of the Social Service League will meet at 3:30 p. m. Monday in the King-Building. The Wednesday class will meet Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. John P. Johnson.

The Helen Rawlings Chapter of the World Wide Guild will meet Monday evening, December 3rd at the home of Miss Marguerite Mayer, 706 West North street at 7:30.

The Women's Missionary Societies of Congregational church will meet in the lecture room Wednesday, December 5th at 3 p. m.

The College Hill Club will meet with Mrs. DeMotte, 242 Prospect street Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock. The Jacksonville W. C. T. U. will meet Monday, Dec. 3, 2:30 p. m.

25 Per Cent Reduction
On Ladies', Misses' and
Children's Coats.

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Trimmed and Untrimmed
Hats, This Season's Very
Latest Style at Half Price.

REDUCTION SALE WEEK

Coats, Dress Skirts, Serge Dresses and Millinery



Regardless of present high prices; regardless of still higher prices yet coming, we are cutting deep in price for only one purpose: **TO REDUCE OUR STOCK.**

Ladies' or Misses' Coats, this season's purchase—all Velours, Plushes, Corduroy-Velvets, Fancy Coatings, Tibets, Ural Lamb, Etc., every coat marked down **25 per cent from our former low price.**

\$30.00 Coat, 25 per cent off, now	\$22.50
\$25.00 Coat, 25 per cent off, now	\$18.75
\$20.00 Coat, 25 per cent off, now	\$15.00
\$17.50 Coat, 25 per cent off, now	\$13.50
\$15.00 Coat, 25 per cent off, now	\$10.00
\$10.00 Child's Coats, 25 per cent off	\$ 7.50
\$ 7.50 Child's Coats, 25 per cent off	\$ 5.75
\$ 5.00 Child's Coats, 25 per cent off	\$ 3.75

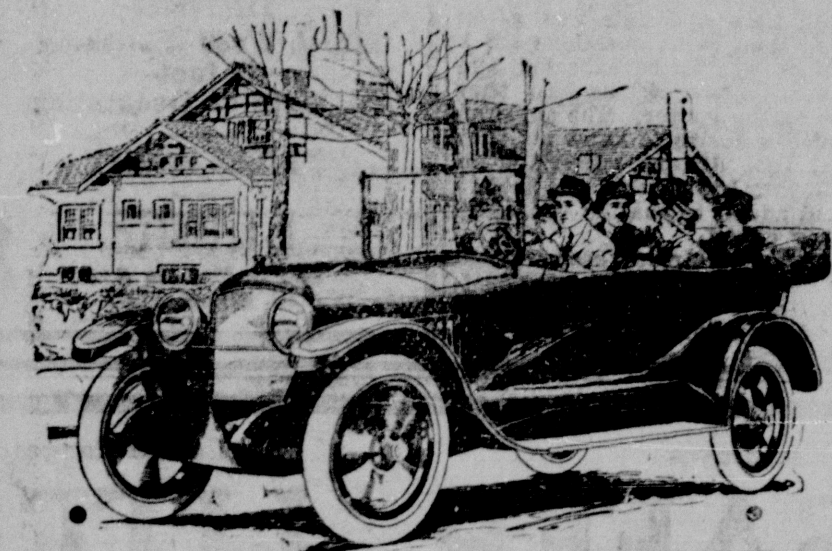
\$16.50 Ladies' and Misses' all wool Serge Dresses	\$12.50
\$13.50 Ladies and Misses' all wool Serge Dresses	\$10.50
\$ 7.00 Ladies' Dress Skirts, navy blue	\$ 5.25

SKIRT SPECIAL THIS WEEK—One lot of Dress Skirts, former price \$7.50, \$6.50 and \$5.44 your choice of this lot \$4.00

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GENTLEMEN'S LIST French Dry Cleaned

Two Piece Suit	\$1.00
Three Piece Suit	\$1.00
Coat	50c
Pants	50c
Overcoat, light weight	\$1.00
Overcoat, heavy weight	\$1.00
Sweater	50c
Gloves	15c

LADIES' LIST

Suits, plain	\$1.00
Suits, plaited	\$1.00
Skirt, plain	50c
Skirt, plaited	50c
Jackets	50c
Dresses, plain	\$1.00
Dresses, plaited	\$1.00
Long Heavy Coats	\$1.00
Long Coats, light weight	\$1.00
Gloves, short	10c
Gloves, long	20c

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Portieres, piano covers, table covers, bed spreads, furs, bath robes, blankets, etc.

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Weekly Savings Club

—to the—

Christmas Stocking

How many stockings are you going to fill Christmas morning? In how many of them would you like to put bigger, better, prettier things? Don't we all wish every Christmas that we could give the members of our family as well as our friends something richer than our pocketbooks allow?

To Help Those Who Have Such Worthy Desires

The Farmers State Bank and Trust Company offers its

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It's plan is so admirable that saving becomes an easy matter. You pay a few cents a week for 50 weeks and then receive our check for your savings plus interest.

If you join this week your check will be ready for you

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so that you can shop early before others have picked the very things you want.

We Issue Passbooks for Fifty Weekly Payments of

10 cents and pay \$5.00 and interest.
25 cents and pay \$12.50 and interest.
50 cents and pay \$25.00 and interest.
\$1.00 and pay \$50.00 and interest.
\$2.00 and pay \$100.00 and interest.
\$5.00 and pay \$250.00 and interest.
1 to 50 cents or 50 to 1 cent and pay \$12.75 and interest.
2 to 100 cents or 100 to 2 cents and pay \$25.50 and interest.
5 cents to \$2.50 or \$2.50 to 5 cents and pay \$63.75 and interest.
10 cents to \$5 or \$5 to 10 cents and pay \$127.50 and interest.

If payments are not kept up, you will receive at the end of 50 weeks the full amount you have paid in.

Come to this bank NOW and join our club for next CHRISTMAS and get your CHRISTMAS money in time to shop early.

It is a sure way to FILL THE STOCKINGS with the things you want—a sure way to have the kind of CHRISTMAS that makes us MERRY.



FOUND CAMP TAYLOR
INTERESTING PLACE

Joseph Jackson Was Greatly Impressed With Training Camp—Visited Albert E. Curry and Wife.

Joseph Jackson and A. A. Curry returned Saturday afternoon from a

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two days visit at Camp Taylor, Ky. The left here Wednesday and spent two whole days at the camp. It was Mr. Jackson's first visit and he was greatly impressed with the camp and the work that is being done. They went especially to see Albert E. Curry, Mr. Curry's son and his wife who is Mr. Jackson's daughter, who is residing in Louisville while her husband is at Camp Taylor.

Speaking of the camp last night Mr. Jackson said that the main camp contained 2,200 acres and across the road was an additional 1,800 acres which is also being put in shape to use. The camp has 30,000 men and much of the space is taken up with drill grounds.

At the rear of the tract is a space where the men are being taught to dig trenches. These trenches were of particular interest to Mr. Jackson. He said they were of considerable depth and have boards in the bottom. Along the side is a shelf on which the men stand when firing.

They also visited the horse barns where are quartered 3,000 horses and mules. There are eight barns and a number of sheds and lots. In this department are stationed a number of Jacksonville men. They were so glad to see someone from home that they gathered around the visitors and followed them as far as they could when they left. All of the men look well and seem to like army life. The Morgan county men stationed at the barns are: Curry, Wells, Strawn, Carpenter, Green, Hoidt, Brantlinger, Maupin, Rantz, Brittenham and Ferreira.

ATTRACTIVE ASSORTMENT OF BLOUSES VERY APPROPRIATE FOR HOLIDAY PRESENTS AT HERMAN'S.

ORDRAIN FOX TO SPEAK AT GRACE SUNDAY SCHOOL.

Ordain Fox, formerly secretary of the Grace Sunday school will address the members of the Sunday school this morning at the opening exercises. Mr. Fox is stationed at Ft. Leavenworth, Kansas, and is home for a few days visit.

MATHIS, KAMM & SHIBE SAY:

No need of looking for old style shoes when the up-to-the-minute kind can be bought at such reasonable prices.

Social Events

Box Social at Elm Grove.

Thanksgiving evening at the Elm Grove schoolhouse, ten miles southwest of the city, a box social was held by the ladies of the vicinity. A very pleasant time was enjoyed socially while the neat sum of twenty dollars was cleared and given to the Red Cross.

Sinclair Country Club Held Meeting.

The Sinclair Country club met Friday night at the home of R. W. Robinson. The ladies entertained their families. The following program was given:

Speech by the President, Miss Anna Mae Wilson.

History of the Club by the Secretary—Miss Annabel Swain.

Instrumental music—Miss Rowena Sinclair.

Dialogue, "Reform"—Miss Ina Fox and Miss Faye Hart.

Solo—Miss Haigh, accompanied by Miss Bourn.

Supper was served. The guests were Miss Haigh and Miss Florence Bourn of Jacksonville. The committees were: Domestic, Mrs. Thomas Fox, Mrs. Charles Bealnear, Mrs. James Hart, Mrs. Abbie McDowd, Mrs. Nellie Mahon; Social committee, Mrs. Frank Hunter, Mrs. Albert Cooper, Mrs. Thomas Bourn and Mrs. Harry Martin.

Observed Silver Wedding Anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Hembrough residing in the Asbury neighborhood southeast of the city entertained a company of relatives and friends at a roast duck dinner Saturday in honor of their 25th wedding anniversary. Ninety guests were present and the occasion proved one of much pleasure to all. Mr. and Mrs. Hembrough are among the best known and most highly respected residents of the county and number their friends by the score.

A SUGGESTION

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WAS IN ERROR ABOUT VICTROLA FOR PASSAVANT

Saturday morning the Journal stated that C. F. Ehnie had presented a Victrola to the nurses home of Passavant hospital. This was in error. Mr. Ehnie started a subscription paper that will finally result in the purchase of the Victrola. However, he is still receiving subscriptions and anyone wishing to contribute to the fund may do so by seeing him. Mr. Ehnie wishes to give all friends of the hospital an opportunity to "do their bit" and also to give them due credit for their generosity.

WE HAVE OUR XMAS DISPLAY READY. MAKE YOUR SELECTION EARLY.

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A SUCCESSFUL REVIVAL SERVICE.

Rev. Louis Ohlenslager has returned from Burton, Kansas where he labored a little more than two weeks in a revival service under the auspices of the Methodist church of that place. The meetings were well attended and excellent spirit prevailed throughout. The meetings closed with a jubilee service when forty persons were baptized while there was a general quickening of the membership of the church. Mr. Ohlenslager will remain with his sister, Mrs. Nielsen on South Main street for a time and then expects to return to the sunflower state.

Order your Sunday dinner ice cream of Mullenix & Hamilton.

PUBLIC SALE.

Of live stock, farming implements and household goods, Wednesday, December 5th, 1917, commencing at 10 a. m., two and one half miles west of Concord. George Wolf.

Earl Abernathy, Auctioneer.

BIRTH RECORD.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Ralph A. Megginson Wednesday at Woodson, a daughter.

HERE FROM DETROIT

A. C. Kingsley of Detroit, Mich., is in the city for a brief visit with his mother and sisters at their home on Webster avenue. Mr. Kingsley during the past year has established a weekly advertising publication with a large distribution at Highland Park, a suburb of Detroit. As Mr. Kingsley is expecting to go with the next contingent of soldiers, he is now planning to have his partner take care of the business while he is in the army service.

FOUNTAIN PENS

For the approaching holiday season we suggest fountain pens. The best makes are here.

GILBERT'S PHARMACY.

BASKETBALL GAME AT Y.

The Springfield All Stars defeated the Hyde Park Y. M. C. A. at the Jacksonville Y. M. C. A. Saturday afternoon by a score of 20 to 14. The line up for Hyde Park was Neff, Hallerway, Teas, Koacher, Gueney; for Springfield, Johnson, Schryner, Breverman, Schuler, Sanford Referee.

EDWIN HARMON ENLISTS.

Friday, Mrs. M. S. Harmon received a letter from her son Edwin of Detroit, Mich., saying he had enlisted as a mechanic for service in France and would leave at once for Washington, D. C. He expects to be in France by the first of the year.

WHITE ELEPHANT SALE.

Don't forget the White Elephant sale next Saturday, December 8th. The money will be used for a laundry at Passavant hospital, all who can donate to this worthy cause will be much appreciated. White elephants, aprons and farm products will be appreciated.

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J. A. MUNSON SOON TO
LEAVE JACKSONVILLE

Will Become State Sales Manager for Northwestern Knitting Co. With Headquarters at Minneapolis—Ray Hartman to Be Advanced

The Jacksonville friends of J. A. Munson will be interested in knowing that he is soon to locate in Minneapolis, where he will become state sales manager for the Northwestern Knitting Co. For the past twelve years Mr. Munson has been a representative of this company, which is the largest of its kind in the U. S. His work for the company has been of such satisfactory kind that this led to the offer of the excellent position that he will take beginning Jan. 1. The Northwestern Knitting Co. manufactures the Munson line of underwear and the goods have grown so in popularity during past years that the trade territory of the firm has constantly expanded. Mr. Munson as a representative of the company has had one of the best traveling positions held by any Jacksonville man and the new position means a very substantial increase in salary. He said yesterday that he very much disliked to leave Jacksonville, his home city, but that such an opportunity would not be likely to occur again and that he therefore determined after some consideration to accept it. Mrs. Munson and their son Harold will not leave for the new home until May 1.

The change will also mean an advancement for Ray Hartman, who has for several years past been serving as Mr. Munson's assistant in this territory.

LOADED SHELLS

Best quail and rabbit loads at right price. Geo. S. Gay.

MOTHERS MEETING.

The regular meeting of the Mothers' Association was held Friday afternoon. Following the business session Mr. Ordain Fox addressed the meeting. Mr. Fox is a Corporal in the new National army and is stationed at Ft. Leavenworth. He is a ready speaker and his description of camp life proved so interesting that his audience was not satisfied when he closed, and by asking him questions drew him out at greater length.

The Association voted unanimously to become a part of the National Council of Defense and will take up the work of the recreation and the health department.

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ONLY 4, BUT SHE IS ALREADY A KNITTER.

Peoria Journal, Nov. 11.—Members of the Women's Relief Corps of Byner post were given a surprise at their knitting bee at the G. A. R. hall yesterday afternoon when little Miss Virginia Hayden, aged 4 years, of 1621 North Glendale avenue, came with her older sister and announced that she was there to knit along with the others. And knit she did. What with coaching previously given by grandma and older sisters little Miss Virginia took up her needles and began knitting just like the other folks there. And everybody said she did "just fine."

ALWAYS HEALS

Crema Balm is our own remedy for chapped hands and it never fails to smooth and soften chapped skin. GILBERT'S PHARMACY.

WILL ATTEND CENTENNIAL BANQUET

A number of Jacksonville people are planning to attend the centennial round table and banquet to be held in Springfield Monday. Governor Lowden will preside at the banquet and all the living ex-governors of the state will be present and make addresses. Among the Jacksonville people who plan to attend are Dr. Carl E. Black, Messrs. Ensley Moore, and Andrew Russel, Dr. Edward Bowe, Mr. and Mrs. Miller Weil, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Bancroft, Dr. C. H. Rammelkamp and Dr. J. R. Harker.

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C. S. HILLERBY TO OPEN
STORE ON EAST SIDE

Will Conduct Dry Goods and Notions Business in Knollenberg Building—Butterick Co. Leases West Side Store Room.

Announcement was made Saturday that Carl S. Hillerby will open a new store in the Knollenberg building at the corner of East State street and the square next Tuesday morning. Mr. Hillerby in July last announced a closing out sale of his store room on the West side of the square and began his sale with the intention of "later going into the women's ready to wear business in another location. Subsequently, however, certain market changes came which made this course impracticable. He then laid the plan for the new store which he is to open in the excellent location in the Knollenberg building.

The stock will include dry goods, notions and fancy goods, but no cloth piece goods will be handled. New stocks which will be displayed Tuesday will be especially indicative of the approach of the holiday season.

The store room on the west side of the square which has long been the location of the O. K. store, will become a Butterick shop. The Butterick Co. has leased the building and various interior betterments will be made. The front part of the store will be fitted into a shop with a depth from the entrance of 30 feet. This room will be redecorated and appropriate shelving put in. Miss Margaret Plunkett of Chicago, representing the Butterick Co., is here to have charge of the changes and the newly furnished Butterick shop will be in readiness by Dec. 10. Mrs. M. H. Grassly, who has for several years been in charge of the Butterick department at the Hillerby store, will be the manager of the new shop.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Temperance A. Bond to W. C. Calhoun, pt. east half northeast quarter 31-14-8, \$3,000.

George C. Smith et al. to C. H. Cowdin, pt. east half northeast quarter 8-15-11, \$2,500.

FOOD VIOLATORS WARNED BY U. S.

Chicago, Dec. 1.—Twenty Chicago grocers who yesterday were found violating the recent ruling of the food administration forbidding combination sales of food commodities, today were warned by United States District Attorney Cline that if further violations occur prosecution under the food law will follow.

In several of the stores signs were in the windows advertising flour and sugar at reduced prices with an order.

The grocers promised to invest in Liberty bonds and to follow faithfully instructions of the food administration.

FIRST WOODEN SHIP LAUNCHED

A Pacific Port, Dec. 1.—The first wooden ship to be launched under war rush plans for the federal merchant fleet took the water here today. The vessel was constructed in 12 days said to be a world's record for ships of this size. The ship was named Mrs. Woodrow Wilson, wife of the president and was christened by a daughter of a banker of this city.

The governor and United States officials attended the ceremonies. The ship is of 4,000 tons dead weight 290 feet in length.

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ENGLISH ARCHBISHOP TO VISIT AMERICA

Dr. Cosmo G. Lang Is Considered
One of England's Greatest Authorities
on Problems of Social
Youngest Bishop.

New York, Dec. 1.—Among the many foreigners of distinction who have visited America since the commencement of the war, none occupies a high place in his own sphere than does Dr. Cosmo Gordon Lang, archbishop of York, who is about to begin a tour of the United States and Canada for the purpose of conferring with churchmen and others in America on certain religious and social problems arising from the war. The archbishop is considered one of England's greatest authorities on problems of sociology. Altho he has never visited America he is well known on this side by reputation.

As primate of England, the archbishop of York is next to the highest prelate of the Anglican church, being second only to the archbishop of Canterbury, who is primate of "all" England. The archbishop of York has place and precedence of all dukes and peers of minor rank who are not princes of the blood royal, and of all great officers of state and other delegates of the realm, save the lord high chancellor of England.

Youngest Archbishop
Dr. Lang is the youngest archbishop of modern times. He was also the youngest bishop. When he became bishop of Stepney he was only thirty-seven years old, and today he is but little past fifty. He is the son of the celebrated Principal Lang, of Aberdeen University, and eminent and witty dignitary of the Presbyterian church. Despite the affiliations of his father, the son did not go to a Scottish university. Instead he went to Oxford and entered Balliol. Together with Sir Edward Grey and Lord Curzon, Cosmo Lang was a member of that brilliant set of men who, under Dr. Jowett, the

head of Balliol, increased the renown of that ancient college. When he left Oxford, Lang had determined upon a political career as affording him the best opportunity of helping his fellowmen. By this means were not sufficient to justify him in making politics his profession. Hence he determined to link his passion for politics and sociology with the study of the law. He entered at the Inner Temple, London, and studied law for some years. But on the eve of being called to the bar he again astonished his friends by announcing his intention to abandon the law for the church.

To Cullendon Theological College he went to prepare himself for the ministry. After his ordination he was a curate at Leeds. Then he became vicar of St. Mary's, Oxford, the university church. But he relinquished this congenial responsibility to accept the charge of a great church at Portsea, an outlying district of Portsmouth.

Most of the young vicar's parishioners were very poor. The populous parish afforded him full scope for his energy. He quickly gathered a dozen curates about him and organized an elaborate and successful machinery of social services.

Queen Victoria's Advice
On one occasion Queen Victoria, it is said, called the young vicar to her palace at Osborne, and said, so it is reported: "I hear excellent reports of your work at Portsea, and I find that you actually keep a staff of twelve curates. You should take to yourself a wife. I believe you would be able to do with two curates less." "Ah no, your majesty," replied the vicar, "that would scarcely do. If I have a curate that does not suit, I can get rid of him; but I could not do the same with a wife." "True," rejoined the queen, "but take the advice of an old woman and marry. God will give you a good wife." Dr. Lang, however, has not followed the queen's advice.

In 1902 Dr. Lang was appointed bishop of Stepney, one of the poorer districts of London. The appointment was regarded as singularly appropriate. Dr. Lang's figure was again in the region of the slums, and he gladly resumed his old association with East End work.

After five years as bishop of Stepney, Dr. Lang was elevated to the eminence of the archbishop of York. In this position he is the metropolitan of the whole of the northern district of England, with his cathedral church in the ancient Minster of York. He receives a salary of \$50,000 a year and lives in the splendid old palace of Bishopsthorpe, which was built by Archbishop Walter de Grey in the thirteenth century.

ANNOUNCEMENT
Robinson's Hat Shop announces for this week a clearance sale of all Fall and Winter models in Hats, Blouses and afternoon Gowns — these are all round service garments and at the sharp reduction in prices will prove interesting to buyers.
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THE MONUMENT ASSOCIATION.
The Morgan County Monument association met in regular session yesterday morning with chairman, C. E. McDougall in the chair. The chair reported that they had not yet had final word from the state architect but expected it soon and would report at once on receipt of same. No other business appeared and the meeting adjourned.

POLAND CHINA HOGS W. A. REED'S FAVORITES

Well Known Farmer Residing South-
east of City Makes Specialty of
This Breed of Hogs—Finds Them
a Profitable Investment.

About five miles southeast of the city is one of the neat and attractive farm houses of this county. The house itself is supplied with almost everything that goes to make life pleasant and agreeable, while the outbuildings are excellent. No implements are found lying around in the weather and everything indicates thrift. The occupant of the house is W. A. Reed, whose life has principally been spent in Morgan county.

His parents were Arthur and Frances Reed and the father was born in Pennsylvania and came here at an early day. His wife was born in Scotland and was formerly Miss Clark. Her early home was in Georgia but her parents came here when she was a child so that Morgan county has been her home the greater part of her life. Mr. Reed has one daughter, Bessie, Mrs. George Thiek. Mr. and Mrs. Reed were the foster parents of a little half brother of Mr. Reed, Lester, who knew no other parents but his brother and wife, and judging from his career they certainly did a very good job of raising. For Lester is one of the prominent men of the county, enterprising and capable.

Mr. Reed is a first class farmer but hogs are his main hold. If you want to see something that will almost cure a case of sore eyes, go right out south of his house down in the valley and there you will find as fine a drove of Poland Chinas as you will see anywhere. They are beauties as hogs go and are making good money for their owner. Mr. Reed raises his hogs with both the long shed and separate pens but takes great care of them at all times and his care is well repaid.

He endeavors to have his sows farrow in March or April and September and then he lets nature largely take her course, not forcibly weaning the pigs at all. As soon as they are of proper size he vaccinates them which he thinks pays as under ordinary circumstances it will ward off that terrible scourge, cholera. His brood sows he feeds very carefully a great deal of slop. This year he has not used much tankage on account of the high price, but he uses shorts and meal and in that way gives them a feed that is good for animals of that kind. He mixes a little corn in occasionally to strengthen them altho his main feed is slop and pasture.

Mr. Reed has his own way of feeding. When his porkers get of the proper size he has them do his shucking and gathering and he says he has never had a strike on his farm and never any discussion about wages and no complaint of long hours. He simply takes 125 porkers and with a portable wire fence drives posts in the ground and fences off 10 acres and turns them in, and the results are very satisfactory. What little they do not get, he lets the sows come in later and eat up. He generally markets them at 9 to 11 months, when they weigh from 200 to 225 pounds.

He now has 220 fattening in addition to a large number of brood sows and 60 pigs, and to go over his farm and see his beauties in the pork line is enough to make one almost envious. He also handles cattle to a profit. He generally buys in March or April light two year olds weighing from 800 to 900 pounds and simply turns them on pasture, without corn, and sells them in the fall, and in this way he has done very well. He thinks it hardly pays to feed cattle thru the winter. He has done so in past years but of late has given it up. He is a careful and prudent farmer, pays as he goes and has a very pleasant home.

**SPECIAL DISPLAY AND
SALE OF CHRISTMAS HAND-
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THE MOST INEXPENSIVE TO
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MAVERICKS

In wintertime
Its nice to rhyme
Of balmy summer breezes
The rheumatics rack our frame
And we have asthmatic wheezes.

Emperor William had little to be thankful for this year.

Some of the latest fox trots have about as much music in them as that furnished at a Zulu war dance.

And speaking of fox trots and one steps the dancers on the famous Midway Plaisance at the Chicago World's fair were not in the same class in twisting with the average dancers of the present day.

Most of us followed Hoover's advice about eating turkey on Thanksgiving and made ourselves sick eating potato salad.

A coal miner in Springfield took down \$170 last week for two weeks work. We wouldn't mind being a coal miner these days.

Along with the various other days Jacksonville probably will have waterless days ere long.

When they ask you to contribute To the Red Cross and Army Y, Don't get a frown upon your face And heave a dismal sigh.

The sacrifice be heavy Yet it is well worth while. When the world is red with blood



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Thanksgiving Day you'll want a new COAT and want the best for the least money.

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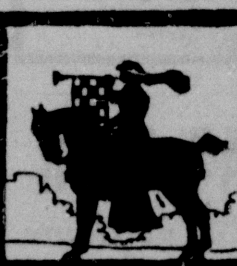
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Wool Underwear
\$1.50 to \$7.50



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To dig up with a smile.

The present hunting season in Michigan shows the casualties greater among hunters than among the deer.

There will be big excitement in New York city this evening when the six day bicycle race starts. Tex Rickard who is without occupation since boxing went out in New York is billed to referee the match.

A Strategic Problem.

"What are you knitting my pretty maid?"
She purred, then dropped a stitch.
"A sock or a sweater, sir," she said.
"And darned if I know which."

It is probable that some of our citizens will try to conserve the water by using hard drinks.

After hiding behind his whiskers for forty years, John Phillip Sousa, the famous bandmaster came out from the brush last week and is now having to introduce himself to all his intimate friends. We can't imagine Sousa without his whiskers but we venture the prediction that he will never go back to them again.

"Shaves will raise", says a headline. Many people can vouch for the truth of the statement.

It is said that the waiters in nearly all of Chicago's first-class hotels and restaurants are believed to be in the employ of Germany and listen to the dinner table talk of Chicago's big business men. If the waiters can't understand English any better than most of them talk it they will not be able to get much information.

You Know Him.

He used to growl about the heat
When it in waves did roll,
Now you hear the same old growl
About the snow and cold.

Tom Jones says anybody with a punch can lick Jess Willard. No question about that but who has the punch?

The probabilities are that Mr. Trotsky of Russia will be going in a gallop soon with his general destination somewhere across the border.

Food Administrator Wheeler sent out a warning not to overeat on Thanksgiving day. Most people did not need the warning as what was troubling them was to get enough to eat.

**Turkey supper and bazar —
Centenary church, Dec. 4th.**

GOES TO NEW POSITION.

C. M. Maynard has resigned his position as engineer of the Jacksonville Railway and Light company and has secured a similar position with the Southern Illinois Traction system in Collinsville. He will enter upon his new duties at once.

WHY HAVE ROUGH UGLY HANDS



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At Special Prices This Week

—These bargains may be just the thin gfor a useful present in your family. A present that will last and be appreciated year after year. Buffet—all quartered polished oak, 45 in. long, good quality, equal to the usual \$27.50 value **\$21.75**
Quartered oak China Closet, bent glass, high quality, worth \$22.50 **\$17.25**
48 inch round quartered oak Table to match —\$25.00 value **\$19.45**
Fumed oak Buffet, 45 inches long, massive, well built; special at **\$19.75**
45 inch fume oak Table to match **\$14.75**
Special Rocking Chair, fumed oak with auto seat, equal to any \$10.00 value **\$7.75**
Fumed oak "William and Mary" Desk table. Table, when closed, opens into desk with mirror. Highest grade **\$16.95**

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WELL KNOWN BOXING REFEREE PASSES AWAY

CHARLEY WHITE DIES AFTER A
LONG ILLNESS

Last Big Scrap in Which He Was
"Third Man in the Ring" was Wil-
lard-Moran Contest at Madison
Square Garden.

New York Dec. 1.—Charley White, widely known boxing referee, who had been ill a long time of a complication of diseases died at his home here tonight.

White was the most prominent referee of pugilistic contests in this country and in nearly all the big events when championships changed hands or were successfully defended in the eastern states, he was "the third man in the ring." The last big

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feel sure will be both economi-
cal and satisfactory for our cus-
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WHILE AT WAR Women Suffer at Home.

QUINCY, ILL.—"Several years ago a relative of mine suffered with woman's weakness and impoverished blood. She took Doctor Pierce's Favorite Prescription and his Golden Medical Discovery for these ailments with the very best of results. She was most enthusiastic concerning these remedies and was always recommending them. At that time I was quite a young girl and made my home with her. She gave me the 'Favorite Prescription' as a tonic and nerve-builder. It helped me very much and my system only required the one bottle to be made entirely well and strong."—Mrs. B. GALLAHER, 302½ S. 4th Street.

St. Louis, Mo.—"Doctor Pierce's Favorite Prescription was a favorite medicine of my mother's. When I was a girl she gave it to me. It was the means of restoring me to health. I do recommend this medicine to young girls, especially those who are just coming into womanhood."—Mrs. FRANKIE WOOLSEY, 4419 Hunt Avenue.

"Favorite Prescription," the ever-famous friend to ailing women, and "Golden Medical Discovery," the greatest general tonic are both put up in liquid and tablet form, and are to be found in nearly all drug stores. They have enjoyed an immense sale for nearly 50 years, which proves their merits as well as the statements made by users. If not obtainable at your dealer's send 10 cents to Dr. Pierce, Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y., and he will mail trial package of either tablets.

WOMAN SICK TWO YEARS

Could Do No Work.
Now Strong as a
Man.

Chicago, Ill.—"For about two years I suffered from a female trouble so I was unable to walk or do any of my own work. I read about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound in the newspapers and determined to try it. It brought almost immediate relief. My weakness has entirely disappeared and I never had better health. I weigh 165 pounds and am as strong as a man. I think money is well spent which purchases Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound."—Mrs. J. O'BRYAN, 1755 Newport Ave., Chicago, Ill.

The success of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from roots and herbs, is unparalleled. It may be used with perfect confidence by women who suffer from displacements, inflammation, ulceration, irregularities, periodic pains, backache, bearing-down feeling, flatulency, indigestion, dizziness, and nervous prostration. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is the standard remedy for female ills.



contest in this vicinity where White was the arbiter was the Willard-Moran contest at Madison Square Garden, March 26, 1916. He was at the ringside when Johnson defeated Jeffries at Reno, Nev., in 1910 as alternate referee in case anything should have prevented Tex Rickard, the promoter of the fight from completing his duties as the arbiter of the bout.

Among the other prominent fights in which White officiated as referee were:

Jeffries - Corbett; Fitzsimmons-Sharkey at Coney Island; Fitzsimmons-Ruhlin; Maher-Ruhlin; Walcott-Smith; Walcott-West; Walcott-Creedon; Jordan-Dixon; McGovern-Erne and Erne-Gans in this city and Young Corbett-McGovern at Hartford, Conn.

Fifty two years ago White was born in this city and was a life long resident of the seventh ward. He was affiliated with athletics from his school boy days and 1887 founded the Clinton Athletic Club on Cherry street. Danny O'Brien, a member of this club won the first lightweight championship of the Amateur Athletic Union which was organized in 1888.

For several years White held the office of sergeant-at-arms of the Democratic state committee. He is survived by his widow, two daughters and two sons, the older of whom was graduated from Yale and is serving as an officer in the United States army at Camp Upton, New York. The younger son is in the United States navy.

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CAMP GRANT DEFEATS CAMP CUSTER ELEVEN

CONTEST STAGED TO ENRICH
ATHLETIC FUNDS OF CANTON-
MENTS

Game Is One of the Most Desperate-
ly Fought and Spectacular Played
on Stag Field in Years—Custer
Eleven Scores All Points in Final
Quarter.

Chicago, Dec. 1.—Before the big-
gest crowd that witnessed a football
game in Chicago this season, Camp
Grant defeated Camp Custer 14 to
13, at Stag Field today. The con-
test was staged to enrich the athletic
funds of the two cantonments, and it
was estimated that more than \$10,
000 was raised.

The contest was the most desper-
ately fought and spectacular played
on Stag Field in years. The Custer
eleven came from behind in the final
period and scored all of its points.
Costello's failure to kick goal robbed
the Michigan soldiers of a tie. Lang-
hoff, a former Wisconsin star and
Gardiner, a former captain of the
Carlisle Indians, registered touch-
downs for Custer. Gardiner blocked
a punt and raced fifty yards for
the final score.

Shiverick, an All-American star
from Cornell and Eddy, a famous
Princeton quarterback, played brilli-
antly for Camp Grant, each scoring
touchdowns. The work of Shiverick
and Costello, a former Georgetown
player, was a revelation.

The Line-up and Summary

Camp Grant, Position—
Rasmussen, Neb., lb; Lathrop,
Notre Dame, lt; McCabe, John Hop-
kins, lg; Funk, Princeton, c; Whit-
ing, Chicago, rg; Smith, Harvard, rt;
Woodruff, DePaul, re; Eddy,
Princeton, qb; Shiverick, Cornell,
lhb; Wood, Kansas, rhb; Schobing-
er, Illinois, fb.

Camp Custer, Position—
Gardiner, Carlisle, lb; Moriarty,
Georgetown, lt; Kerwin, George-
town, lg; Swart, Princeton, c; Simp-
son, Wisconsin, rg; Ward, George-
town, rt; Thompson, Lawrence, re;
Costello, Georgetown, qb; DePrado,
Michigan Aggies, lhb; Miller, Michi-
gan Aggies, rhb; Langhoff, Wiscon-
sin.

Score by periods:
Grant 7 0 7 0 14
Custer 0 0 0 13 13
Referee—Madison; Michigan;
Umpire-Haines, Yale; Field Judge-
Knight, Dartmouth; Headlinesman-
Holderness, Lehigh. Time of Periods
fifteen minutes.

Other Results
Washington and Jefferson, 7;
Camp Sherman, 0.
Camp Dix, 13; Camp Meade, 6.
University of Pittsburgh, 30;
32th Regiment Team of Camp
Lee, 0.
University of Detroit, 27; Camp
MacArthur, 7.
Camp Grant, 14; Camp Custer,
13.
Camp Dodge, 3; Camp Funston, 0.

THE LONERGAN SALE

Michael Lonergan will hold a pub-
lic sale Tuesday, December 4, be-
ginning at 10 o'clock, at his farm
3½ miles south of Murrayville.
Horses, heifers, steers, calves, hogs,
etc., will be sold.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Pendleton of
Golden were visitors in the city yester-
day.

DOCTOR GAVE THIS RUN DOWN WOMAN VINOL

And She Got Well — Her Nervous-
ness Disappeared

Flint, Mich.—"I keep house for
my family of six and got into a gen-
erally run down condition. I was
weak, nervous and could not sleep,
and had headache a good deal of the
time. My doctor prescribed Vinol
and it made me well and strong. I
am a good deal less nervous and can
sleep nights."—Clara Smith, 1213
W. 4th Ave., Flint, Mich.

We sell Vinol on a positive guaran-
tee to make nervous, weak, run
down women well and strong or re-
turn their money. Try it anyway.
Lee P. Allcott, Druggist, Jackson-
ville, Ill.—Adv.

Some War Revenue Facts

A complete analysis of normal and special war taxes imposed by the federal government has been compiled by Ewell D. Moore and issued in pamphlet form. Copies of the pamphlet are being sent out by State Auditor Andrew Russel. Some figures from the work giving special information about the income tax are printed herewith:

(Fourth Installment.)

In the case of bonds or other indebtedness which have been issued with the guaranty that the interest payable thereon shall be free from taxation, no deduction for payment of this tax or any other tax pursuant to such guaranty shall be allowed.

In case of a bank, banking association, loan or trust company, interest paid during the year on deposits or on money received for investment and secured by interest-bearing certificates of indebtedness issued by them shall be deducted.

CORPORATION RETURNS

Return must be made and the tax paid on net income received in each preceding calendar year ending December 31. Any corporation may designate the last day of any month as the close of its fiscal year, and thus have the tax payable for the year ending on the last day of any designated month instead of upon the last day of December. It must, however, give notice of the day designated as the close of its fiscal year to the collector not less than 30 days prior to March 1 of the year in which return would be filed if made on the basis of the calendar year.

DATE FOR FILING RETURNS

On or before March 1, 1918, and every calendar year thereafter, every corporation, joint-stock company or association, or insurance company (or if it has fixed its own fiscal year, then within 60 days after the close of its fiscal year ending prior to December 31, 1917) must render a true return of its net income. The return must be sworn to by the president, vice-president, or other principal officer, and by the treasurer or assistant treasurer, of the concern.

RETURNS BY RECEIVERS OR TRUSTEES

If receivers, trustees in bankruptcy or assignees, are operating a property or business of a corporation they must make returns as required of such corporation, and pay the tax in the same manner as if assessed directly against the corporation whose business they control.

WITHHOLDING TAX AT THE SOURCE

The provisions relating to the tax required to be deducted and withheld and paid to the United States from income of non-resident aliens from sources within the United States are applicable to the tax on income from interest on bonds and mortgages and deeds of trust or similar obligations of domestic or other resident corporations by non-resident alien firms, co-partnerships, companies, corporations, joint-stock companies or associations, or insurance companies, not engaged in business in the United States and not having any office or place of business therein.

ASSESSMENT, NOTIFICATION AND PAYMENT

Taxes on corporations, joint-stock companies or associations, or insurance companies, will be assessed, and they will be notified of the amount of their liability on or before June 1 of each year, and the tax must be paid on or before June 15. If the corporation, joint-stock company or association, or insurance company, has fixed its own fiscal year, the tax must then be paid within 105 days after the date on which it is required to file its return.

PENALTIES

Any person, corporation, partnership, association, or insurance company, liable to pay the tax, to make a return or to supply information required, who refuses or neglects to pay such tax, to make such return or to supply information at the time or times herein specified in each year, shall be liable (except as otherwise specially provided) to a penalty of not less than \$20 nor more than \$1000. Any individual or any officer of any corporation, partnership, association or insurance company, required by law to make, render, sign or verify any return or to supply any information, who makes any false or fraudulent return or statement with intent to defeat or evade the tax is guilty of a misdemeanor and shall be fined not exceeding \$2000 or be imprisoned not exceeding one year, or both.

DIVIDEND STATEMENT BY CORPORATIONS, ETC.

Every corporation, joint-stock company or association, or insurance company, when required, must render a correct, verified return of its payments of dividends made in cash or in stock, including names and addresses of stockholders and number of shares owned by each, and the tax years in which dividends were earned, and the applicable amounts.

BROKERS' REPORTS ON CUSTOMERS

Every person doing business as a broker on any exchange or board of trade must, when required, render a verified return showing names of customers, with such details as to profits, losses, or other information that may be required.

INFORMATION AT THE SOURCE

This provision requires all persons, corporations, partnerships, associations, insurance companies, lessees or mortgagees of real or personal property, trustees acting in any trust capacity, executors, administrators, receivers, conservators, and employers, making payment to another person, corporation, partnership, association, or insurance company, of any moneys whatsoever (other than the payments specified in the two preceding paragraphs), of \$800 or more in any taxable year; or in case of payments made by officers or employees of United States government, having information as to such payments, to make return setting forth a true statement of the amount of income, and the name and address of those receiving same.

These returns will be required regardless of the amount, including cases of payment of interest on bonds and mortgages, or deeds of trust, or other similar obligations, also in case of collections (not payable in United States) of interest on bonds of foreign countries; also interest on bonds and dividends on stock of foreign corporations, by all persons making a business of such collections. The name and address of recipient of income must be furnished, on demand, by every person or corporation paying the income. This applies to the calendar year 1917, and every year thereafter, but shall not apply to the payment of interest on obligations of the United States.

CREDITS ALLOWED FOR EXCESS PROFITS TAX PAID

Sums paid as excess profits tax (hereafter explained) may be credited in the return of income. Nothing in the law shall be construed as taxing income of foreign governments received from investments in the United States, from stocks, bonds or other domestic securities owned by such foreign governments or interest on bank deposits belonging to such governments.

"DIVIDENDS" DEFINED, DISTRIBUTION MADE

The term "dividends" as used herein shall mean any distribution made or ordered to be made by a corporation, joint-stock company, association or insurance company out of its earnings of profits accrued since March 1, 1913, and payable to its shareholders, whether in cash or in stock of the corporation, joint-stock company, association or insurance company, which stock dividend shall be considered income to the amount of the earnings or profits so distributed.

Any distribution made to the shareholders or members of a corporation, etc., in 1917, or subsequent tax years, shall be deemed to have been made from the most recently accumulated undivided profits or surplus and shall constitute a part of the annual income of the person receiving same for the year in which received and be taxed to him at the rates in force for the years in which the profits or surplus were accumulated by the corporation, association, etc.

Nothing herein shall be construed as taking any earnings or profits accrued prior to March 1, 1913, but such earnings or profits may be distributed in stock dividends or otherwise, exempt from the tax, after the distribution of earnings and profits accrued since March 1, 1913, has been made. This provision shall not apply to any distribution made prior to August 6, 1917, out of earnings or profits accrued prior to March 1, 1913.

Where any tax has been paid by the taxpayer it shall not be re-collected from any withholding agent, nor shall any penalty be imposed in such cases upon the taxpayer or withholding agent whose duty it is to retain it, for failure to return or pay same, unless such failure was fraudulent, and to avoid payment.

TO PREVENT EVASION

Premiums paid on life insurance policies covering the lives of officers, employees, or those financially interested in any trade or business conducted by an individual, partnership, corporation, or others, shall not be deducted in computing the net income of such person, corporation or concern, or in computing the profits of such partnership for the purpose of claiming the benefit of the exemption and the deduction allowable in the personal income return.

WAR ESTATE TAX

This tax is assessed and levied on the estate of a deceased person before distribution. It is imposed upon the transfer of the net estate of every decedent, whether a resident or non-resident of the United States. An exemption of \$50,000 is allowed only on the gross estate of resident decedents. No exemption is allowed upon the gross estate of non-resident decedents.

Below are the combined rates of the old and new laws between the sums specified:

Value to Net Estate	Rate of Tax
Not in excess of \$50,000	2%
50,000 to 150,000	4%
150,000 to 250,000	6%
250,000 to 450,000	8%
450,000 to 1,000,000	10%

This tax does not apply to the transfer of the net estate of any decedent dying while serving in the military or naval forces during the present war, or if death results from injuries received or disease contracted in such service within one year after the president's proclamation declaring such war at an end.

(To Be Continued)

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Our business is more than repairing and selling batteries. It's maintaining a continuous personal interest in you and your battery. Helping in every way we can to assure you of reliable starting, lighting and ignition.

We show you how to take care of your battery and help you do it. This keeps it on the job, and the battery keeps your car on the job. When repairs or recharging must

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ASHLAND W. F. M. S. TO MEET WEDNESDAY

Mrs. Martha Wallbaum to be Hostess and Mrs. D. O. Hill Leader—Residence of Dr. Beadles Damaged by Fire—Other Ashland News Notes.

Ashland, Nov. 30.—Travel Elmore, a St. Louis grain dealer, was killed and Albert Perrin of St. Louis and Harry Buck of Beardstown were injured in St. Louis when an automobile in which they were riding skidded, struck a telephone pole and turned over. Funeral arrangements have not been made yet.

The W. F. M. S. Meeting.
The missionary society of the M. E. Church will have its meeting next Wednesday afternoon, Dec. 5, Mrs. Martha Wallbaum is the hostess and Mrs. D. O. Hill the leader.
Intercession—Mrs. B. M. Green.
African Pilgrim Fathers—Mrs. George Bergen.
Heroes of Africa—Miss Helen Rieck.
The White Man in Africa—Mrs. John Blank.

Mystery Box.—Mrs. Oliver McDaniels and Mrs. Dave Middour.
Music.—Miss Marie Haggard.

Residence Damaged by Fire.
Fire damaged the roof of Dr. R. O. Beadles' residence in the southeast part of town Friday morning. A large section of the roof was burned. The loss was covered by insurance.

James Grider spent Thanksgiving with Rev. and Mrs. W. J. Campbell at Waverly.

Miss Clarence Rieck, a teacher in the Chicago training school spent Thanksgiving here with home folks. Ed Leahy is again managing the Douglas hotel after having moved out three weeks ago.

Helen Stuart Purvis of Pleasant Plains is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Lohman.

Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Wyatt of Bloomington spent Thanksgiving here with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Fletcher expect to leave here Saturday for California to spend the winter.

Mrs. John Gardner and children of Clarksville, Texas, are here to spend the winter with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Lohman.

Mr. and Mrs. David H. Bailey and daughter Grace spent Thursday with B. F. Bailey and family near Philadelphia.

D. E. Wilson of Lincoln was a visitor here Thursday.

Miss Maud Davis of Springfield visited Miss Mary Turner Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Lillie Minter and daughters, Ruth and Rachel spent Thanksgiving with Mrs. Minter's sister in Waverly.

F. C. Wallbaum moved his family this week in to town from the country for the winter.

Fred Ault purchased a new Saxxon six Chummy roadster from the local dealer, Will C. Christen.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Anderson, Sr., have departed for Biloxi, Miss., where they will spend the winter.

Mrs. George Bailey and daughter, Lorena are visiting Mrs. A. E. Wyatt near Newmanville this week.

J. L. Snyder was a visitor at Astoria Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Snyder spent Thanksgiving in Pawnee with J. L. Pergum and family.

Rozell's brick ice cream today. Luly-Davis Drug Co.

POLICE DEPARTMENT HAS NOT HEARD OF CASE.

Naples, Dec. 1.—John Hubbs of Valley City, four miles south of Naples on the Pike county side of the river, left home some six weeks ago to visit in Jacksonville. No word or news of any kind has been received since.

Mr. Hubbs owns a grocery store at Valley City and left it in charge of Larkin Emrick until his expected return next day. At first there was only a mild curiosity which has now grown to uneasiness and alarm, as he habitually carried quite large sums of money on his person.

Mr. Hubbs is a young man, not over thirty years of age, and his friends fear foul play.

The foregoing is taken from a Springfield paper. Chief Davis when asked by a Journal reporter Saturday evening about the matter, said "We have never had an inquiry about the case from anyone in Valley City. Neither have we ever heard of the man." Chief Davis is of the opinion that Hubbs never came to Jacksonville or if he did that he only remained a short time.

Samuel Hembrough, James Anderson and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Slack, Charles Ransdell, were up to the city from Franklin yesterday.

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NEAR TREASON.

Before the big trench argument in Europe has been settled there are several people who will wish they had curbed their conversational powers. Some of them make bold to state that this is not our war, and that we have no business to send our boys to France to fight the battles of Great Britain. Just as if Great Britain had not been fighting our battles for three years or more, and had it not been for the English navy bottling up the German naval fleet at Kiel, there is little doubt that ere this many of our coast cities would now resemble many of the historic cities in Belgium and Northern France. And England has stood between "our loved homes and war's desolation" for 3 months or more, and more especially since Count Bernstorff was given his walking papers and made personal non grata to a government that he had intrigued, conspired against, and otherwise insulted until forbearance had ceased to be a virtue, and the president was compelled to sever diplomatic relations with the greatest military power that Europe has ever produced. God helping him, President Wilson would not have done otherwise. The sinking of the Lusitania was sufficient casus belli for a declaration of war by this government against German cruelty, murder and crimes worse than assassination. With great patience and forbearance the president accepted apology after apology, and hoped against hope that war might be averted, and did all that a man of honor could do to keep us out of the vortex of red ruin. And to cry for peace, and hope and pray for peace, availed us nothing. Half of the world was lit up by the flames of war and the sparks were flying in our direction before he turned in the alarm. The war is not of our choosing. It was thrust upon us by circumstances over which we had no control. It was inevitable, and we had to accept the gage of battle or become a by word of reproach and the laughing stock of all civilized nations.

And no nation has ever yet called our Uncle Samuel a coward and got away with it. He is slow to wrath, but when thoroughly aroused is more terrible than an army with ten million of banners, and there are available today ten millions of young men of military age to wave these banners and plant them where they will remain till the last armed foe expires, and freedom and democracy are recognized throughout the world.

In order to accomplish the desired result it is necessary to present a solid, united front and every man who claims to be an American, and who claims the protection of the flag, should line up and help to win this war, or failing to stand for his country, he should be driven out of it, and into the country with which he sympathizes. There is no room for him here. He is a modern Benedict Arnold and a traitor to the land of his birth or adoption. If his sympathies are with the Kaiser let him go to the fatherland, don a spiked helmet and take his turn in the trenches and help bring about the ruin of democracy and establish upon its ruins the despot who ruled by "divine right," and by succession, and who happens to be the son of his father who happens to wear a crown.

Of the more than 100 millions of people in this republic it is a consolation to know that there are comparatively few copperheads and pacifists of the LaFollette type and as the war lengthens, with all of its terrors and horrors, the number will decrease. And the time is not far distant when it will be decidedly unpopular, and still more unhealthy, to talk near treason or hide behind the veil of pacifism.

We won in the civil war in spite of armed treason in the front, and the venomous, slimy copperheads in the rear, led by such disciples of the lost cause as Clement L. Valandigham of Ohio, and Dan Voorhees of Indiana, because the principles for which we fought, and so many thousands died, were right, and just, founded on the bedrock of liberty and freedom to all men.

Had we listened to the siren voice of the hissing copperhead during the dark days of the civil war, there would have been no republic today with its more than 100 millions of freemen, and there would have been no flag with 48 glittering stars, each one representing a sovereign state, and all cemented into one glorious Union by the blood of the 400,000 boys who died on a thousand battle fields for you, and me, and posterity.

And so, now, after more than a half century has passed, the siren voice of the pacifist is heard in the land and it is but the echo of the same voice, under another name, that we heard in the long ago while the old ship of State, with the immortal Lincoln at the helm, for four long and bloody years, plowed thru the billows of the crimson tempest.

There is no middle ground to stand on today. We are either for this government of, and for the people, or we are against it for, and by the rule and ruin doctrine of the man on horse back, yelet the Kaiser. The time is opportune for all good men to take a stand while standing is good, for if we fail to win this war there will not be a foot of free soil for us to stand on. The dollar in your wallet will be as worthless as the Confederate dollar when we assisted in forever furling the banners of the lost cause at Appomattox. We must win. There must be no such word as fail in our lexicon. Do your bit, and do it now, by standing up manly, loyally and steadfastly for our brave boys on the ramparts of freedom in our sister republic who gave us LaPayette in the dark days of the American Revolution, and whose prowess helped us

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PLUSH COAT
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COAT
Half Lined
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COAT
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Half Lined
\$16.98



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COAT
\$15.00



This \$30.00
WOOL
VELOUR
COAT
Fur Trimmed
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This \$25.00
WOOL
POPLIN
SUIT
\$14.98



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—Your unrestricted choice of any HAT in the store regardless of former selling price. Come pick 'em out at

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Your unrestricted choice of any Child's Trimmed Hat in the store, regardless of former selling price—287 to pick from. Come pick 'em out at

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The Emporium

STANDARD BRED POULTRY SUBJECT OF D. T. HEIMLICH

Well Known Poultry Expert Writes Article Which Will Be Given to Public Thru National Poultry Association—Gives Information of Value and Interest to Poultry Raisers.

The article given hereunder is by D. T. Heimlich of this city who is one of the best known poultry men in the country. Mr. Heimlich is president of the Illinois Poultry Association and has judged poultry thruout the entire United States. The article which is reproduced here is one that Mr. Heimlich has been asked to contribute in conjunction with other officers of state poultry associations. He takes as his subject Standard Bred and explains fully the meaning of the term in poultry circles.

"Standard Bred." This term for our American Poultry fraternity stands for much that should be, and is, of important interest to every one of the men and women who today are breeding poultry on the ninety four per cent of the farms that are accredited to America containing domestic fowls for eggs and meat, wherewith the supply the ever increasing demand for these much relished products that are so highly appreciated by the American public.

"The demand for Standard Poultry has been developed through the efforts of The American Poultry Association, an organization which since 1873 has grown from a few enthusiastic fanciers of the then Standard recognized Breeds to a membership of over seven thousand Breeders and Fanciers. Their mission as Breeders is to educate and develop an interest in greater production, higher quality in form, feathers and laying production. All of the one hundred and fifty or more recognized, and bred, Standard varieties of domestic, land and water fowls.

"Since conservation is the watchword to the American public, this largest live stock association in the world has through its international and state officials called meetings for the purpose of national and local get together membership too by cooperation push and boost for greater effort in all doing their bit; wherewith to feed the millions of our Allies in this and in foreign countries, this highly relished food.

overcome by education along practical lines to those who are producers but have lacked interest in giving attention to the essential need and care of poultry, to get the best and greatest results of value to themselves and public who purchase their output of eggs and poultry. At the thirty odd State Universities as well as in the yards and farms of individual breeders it has been demonstrated that the American hen can easily be made to double the present average production of eggs in the U. S. by selection, the trap nest and the Hoganizing all hens in this way eliminating the drones and poor layers and only retaining the most productive for both eggs and meat purposes. The scientific fact that by learning which hens have the capacity to assimilate and manufacture what food they eat most readily into eggs are the ones to be retained as layers.

"These facts are as well known now as are the facts that cocks live and are by selection and breeding better milk and butter producers than they were before breeders gave attention to these subjects.

"Could our farmers be made to realize that the greater per cent of the farm hens are the cleaners of grains and other food that otherwise would be wasted, hence the cost of production of fowls and their eggs does not cost the farmer but little which at these later day prices yield him a greater profit than any other live stock kept in proportion to the time, cost and what they consume, did our farmers, wives and children keep accurate account for a period of one year as a test, a great per cent would be brought to realize that the income from 'Poultry on the Farm' is well worth more and better attention than they receive at the present time, as factors for producers for which to get ready cash on short-notice.

"Standard Bred Poultry offers a broad field from which to make selection, any and all of the one hundred and fifty or more recognized varieties given recognition will prove satisfactory as meat, egg or fancy form or plumage qualities. The world's people are hungry, ready and willing to pay the price, then why not make the 1918 production record over all previous years?"

"D. T. HEIMLICH."

FOR JEWELRY

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IMPORTANT MEETING FOR

PARENT-TEACHER MEMBERS.

Monday evening at 7:30 at the library building Mrs. A. L. Adams and Mrs. J. Thompson Sharpe desire to meet all officers and committees of the various parent-teacher associations in the city. These ladies will have something of great importance to say and there should be a good attendance.

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New 45 inch highest grade Cedar Chests, copper bound. Others ask \$17.50; our price \$12.25
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36 inch Matting Covered Boxes, highest grade, worth \$6.50. This week \$4.50
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SPECIAL HOLIDAY SALE OF

Pianos and Player Pianos

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PRE-WAR PRICES

We ordered early in anticipation of holiday trade and because we were warned of the increase in prices, which has now become effective, and the greater difficulty in getting freight deliveries as the war needs increase.

We now have a large assortment on hand, with others coming, and can offer you a choice from 12 different makes, each being a representative of the Best in Quality in proportion to its cost. In order to move these instruments quickly we have decided to offer them at PRE-WAR PRICES so long as they last, and this means considerably less than we can now furnish any of them in duplicate. PRICES HAVE ADVANCED from \$50.00 to \$75.00 each. Save this amount by making your selection at once. Delay will surely spoil your opportunity.

DO IT NOW!

This Sale Begins on Saturday, Nov. 24th

W. T. Brown Piano Co.

MEREDOSIA MAN DIES AFTER LONG ILLNESS

Edward Vonderheid Passed Away at Home of Sister in Bluffs—Other Items of Interest from Meredosia and Vicinity.

Meredosia, Dec. 1.—Edward Vonderheid, who has been in failing health for some time and who was recently taken to the home of his sister in Bluffs, passed away Thursday afternoon. The remains will be brought to this city Saturday afternoon and taken to the Lutheran church for the funeral services. Rev. P. A. Soerensen of Bluffs officiating. Mr. Vonderheid was about 45 years of age and was born in Germany. Has made this city his home for a number of years. He is survived by his wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde McAllister, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Skinner, Luther Rice, Roy Unland, Boyd Pund, Charles James, Mrs. L. H. Wegehoff, Mrs. Harry Legener, Mrs. W. Meier, Lena Kappel, Greta Looman, Esther James, Elsie Leonhard were in Jacksonville Tuesday in attendance at a county meeting of the Odd Fellows and Rebekah orders.

Richard Beachamp who has been confined at home with illness for several weeks is now on the way to recovery.

W. F. M. S.

Date—Dec. 3, 1917.

Place—The Parsonage.

COME THE METHODISTS

Chapter Three.

Leader—Mrs. W. G. Looman.

Intercession—M. R. S. Minnie Fotsch.

African Pilgrim Fathers—Mrs. George Unland.

An Outstanding Hero—Mrs. Minnie Deppe.

Heroines of Africa—Mrs. James Galaway.

Bishop William Taylor—Mrs. Frances Harshman.

Then and Now—Mrs. Belle Savage.

The White Man in Africa—Mrs. W. G. Looman.

Mystery Box, Oct.-Nov.

Stage of River.

The following is the stage of water in the Illinois river at this point, for the past week as reported by S. D. Allen, bridge tender:

Above low water mark

Feet Inches

Nov. 23 6 6 1/2

Nov. 24 6 7

Nov. 25 6 7

Nov. 26 6 7

Nov. 27 6 7

Nov. 28 6 7 1/2

Nov. 29 6 6 1/2

Mrs. Edward Fee entertained the

Willing Workers of the Christian

church at dinner on Thanksgiving

day and it is said by all those in at-

tendance that all conservation of

food was set aside when they were

served with the bountiful repast

upon this occasion. Mrs. Fee was

assisted by her niece, Miss Lena

Battlefield. Those who responded to

the invitation were Mr. and Mrs.

Rube Pulse, Mrs. Rube Ham, Mrs.

Alice Wade, Mrs. Charles Winnig-

ham and grandson Meredith. Mrs.

George James, Mr. and Mrs. George

Maves. The ladies spent the day

quilting for the society.

F. J. Harney of Chapin was a

visitor here Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Ayers en-

tertained their niece, Miss Lena

Wendling of Chambersburg, Thurs-

day and Friday.

Mrs. Addie White of Chapin ar-

rived Friday to visit her daughter,

Mrs. John Goffriet.

A reunion of the Pond family was

held at the home of Mr. and Mrs.

Will Pond in this city Thursday.

Forty-two were present at the noon

hour and they were joined in the af-

ternoon by a number of others of

the family who spent the afternoon

and evening with them.

The little three year old child of

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Miller had the

misfortune to break an arm this

week.

Mrs. Edward Wackerle and

daughter Marjorie of Jacksonville

were the guests of her parents, Mr.

and Mrs. A. E. Ritscher Thanksgiving

day.

Mrs. Mary Cody, son Edward and

daughters Margaret and Mrs. Marie

Hill were Thanksgiving guests of

the former's sons, W. D. and A. G.

Cody and families in Jacksonville.

The Thanksgiving dinner served

by the Ladies of the Aid Society of

the Methodist church was well at-

tended and a financial success.

The Basket Ball team of the

High school played a team who

had played a high school in

years past, at their hall Thursday

evening which resulted in a victory

for the latter. The proceeds amount-

ing to about twelve dollars, will be

given to Red Cross and Army Y.

M. C. A. war funds.

Miss Rena Pond who has been

teaching school near Decatur spent

Thursday with her parents Mr. and

Mrs. Will Pond.

Miss Alta Gaddis of Springfield

spent Thursday with her parents,

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Gaddis.

Miss Nellie Bitcher of Spring-

field arrived Wednesday to spend

Thanksgiving with her parents, Mr.

and Mrs. A. E. Ritscher.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Kormeyer ar-

rived home Tuesday from Louisville

where they had been visiting their

son Frank stationed at Camp Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Hyatt are

visiting relatives in Cooperstown

this week.

Edward Fee is this week visiting

relatives in Missouri.

Mrs. R. B. Fields is spending the

week in St. Louis with her son Gar-

rett and wife.

Union Thanksgiving services

were held at the Lutheran church.

Rev. D. L. Jeffers pastor of the

Methodist church delivered a splen-

did address to an appreciative

audience. Special music was fur-

nished by a union choir.

Bernice Skinner, Frances and

Esther James, Greta Looman, Es-her

Doppe, Ethyl Butcher, Eva Beau-

champ, Ina Bowling, Mabel Peter-

son, and Gweneith Chenoweth met

C. C. Carter of Neelys called on

Dan McGinnis yesterday.



JOIN OUR CHRISTMAS BANKING CLUB and HAVE MONEY

It Costs Nothing to Join

our Christmas Banking Club and it is an easy way to have money next Christmas. The plan is simple! You start with 10c, 5c 2c or 1c and increase with the same amount each week.

Or you can deposit 50 cents, \$1.00, \$5.00 or more each week and deposit this same amount each week.

How to Join

Look at the different Clubs in table below and select the one you wish to join, the 1c, 2c, 5c, 10c 50c, \$1.00, \$5.00 — then come to our Bank with the first weekly payment. We will make you a member of the Club and give you a Christmas Banking Club Book showing the Club you have joined.

WHAT THE DIFFERENT CLUBS WILL PAY YOU

1c Club PAYMENTS	2c Club PAYMENTS	5c Club PAYMENTS	10c Club PAYMENTS	50c Club PAYMENTS	\$1.00 Club PAYMENTS	\$5.00 Club PAYMENTS	X CLUB For
1st Week 1c	1st Week 2c	1st Week 5c	1st Week 10c	1st Week 50c	1st Week . . . \$1.00	1st Week . . . \$5.00	\$2, \$3, \$4,
2nd Week 2c	2nd Week 4c	2nd Week 10c	2nd Week 20c	2nd Week . . . 50c	2nd Week . . \$1.00	2nd Week . . \$5.00	\$10
3rd Week 3c	3rd Week 6c	3rd Week 15c	3rd Week 30c	3rd Week . . . 50c	3rd Week . . \$1.00	3rd Week . . \$5.00	or
Increase every week by 1c	Increase every week by 2c	Increase every week by 5c	Increase every week by 10c	Deposit 50c every week	Deposit \$1 every week	Deposit \$5 every week	any amount
Total in 50 Weeks \$12.75	Total in 50 Weeks \$25.50	Total in 50 Weeks \$63.75	Total in 50 Weeks \$127.50	Total in 50 Weeks \$25.00	Total in 50 Weeks \$50.00	Total in 50 Weeks \$250.00	

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To provide a way for those of moderate and even small means to bank their money.

To teach "the Banking habit" to those who have never learned it.

It makes your pennies, nickels and dimes, often foolishly spent grow into dollars; dol-

lars grow into a fortune. Start your fortune today.

To give you a Bank connection and show you how our Bank can be of service to you.

The sensible thing for all parents to do is to join our Christmas Banking Club and also put every member of their family into it. This will teach them the value of money and how to bank and HAVE MONEY. Maybe this little start you give them now may some day set them up in business or buy them a home.

How often have you wished that your parents had taught you early the value of banking your money. You would be well-off today. Don't make the same mistake with YOUR children.

WE PAY THREE PER CENT INTEREST IN OUR CHRISTMAS BANKING CLUB

F. G. Farrell & Co. Bankers

at the home of Beulah and Verna Pond last Monday evening for a jolly evening together. They enjoyed an oyster supper during the evening.

FOR JEWELRY Schram & Buhrman's Store

AT THE STATE SCHOOL

Miss Clara C. Moore of the faculty of music of the Illinois Woman's College will give a violin recital for the pupils of the Illinois School for the Blind at their chapel this afternoon, at 4:00 o'clock.

Friends of the school and all interested in music are cordially invited to hear Miss Moore give the following program:

Minuet Handel
Arioso Gossac
Gavotte Couperin
Aubade Provencale Couperin
Rondino on a Theme of Beethoven Kreisler
Scottish Fantasia Bruch

Grave Allegro Guerriero
Andante Mr. Stearns
Piano Miss Lailla Skinner
Organ Cui

Oriente Kreisler
Viennese Folk Song Bazzani
Ronde des Latins Bazzani

The Hebrew church will give a cafeteria supper in the basement of the church Wednesday, December 5th.

SOFT CORN BOTHERS

KANSAS FARMERS. H. H. Massey has returned from Paola, Kans., where he was summoned on account of the sudden death of his sister, Mrs. Breen. Mr. Massey said yesterday that farmers in the vicinity of Paola are having the same trouble as farmers here with reference to soft corn. There as here, the early frost did considerable damage to corn, checking the growth in a way that kept it from maturing in the usual way. As a result many Kansas farmers this year will feed more livestock than has been true in other years.

C. C. Carter of Neelys called on Dan McGinnis yesterday.

MAJOR VICKERY IS ATTENDING CONVENTION

Is Taking Part in Session of Illinois Hotel Clerks Association at Kankakee.

Major and Mrs. John A. Vickery are attending the sessions of the Illinois Hotel Clerk's association at Kankakee this week. Major Vickery is a member of the Board of Governors of the association and is one of its most honored members.

Major Vickery had not intended to attend the sessions this year but the manager of the Partside hotel in Kankakee where the sessions are being held called Manager Foulk of the hotel and said he wanted Major and Mrs. Vickery to be present.

Manager Foulk then took the matter in hand and made arrangements to look after Mr. Vickery's duties in his absence and sent him on his way. Major Vickery is the oldest hotel clerk in point of service in Illinois and perhaps in the entire country.

There may be other men who outrank him as to age but not as to continuous service. There is a clerk at the Harper House in Rock Island who nearly ties Major Vickery. He will also be in attendance at the meeting and no doubt there will be lots of reminiscing.

In addition to his membership in the hotel clerk's association, Major Vickery is a member of the "Greeters", a national hotel clerk's association. During his years of service he has handed a pen to some of the most prominent men in the country to affix their names on the register. Among these were actors, statesmen and others of note. He is deservedly popular not only with the traveling public but with his fellow hotel clerks and will no doubt receive many honors while in Kankakee.

FOR JEWELRY Schram & Buhrman's Store

ILLINOIS COLLEGE NOTES

News came recently to the College office of the death of Colonel John G. Clark, 47, of Lancaster, Wis. Colonel Clark is one of the earliest and most distinguished alumni of Il-

linois College. After George W. Harlan, 46, Colonel Clark was until his death the second oldest living alumnus of the College. He was 92 years of age at the time of his death on November 2nd. He was born in Morgan County of English parents. He enlisted in the Civil War while serving in the legislature of Wisconsin. At first he was connected with the Quarter Master's Department but in time he became Colonel of the 50th Wisconsin Infantry. Among the other positions of honor which he held may be mentioned that of Lancaster, Grand Master of the State Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows and Assistant Justice of the supreme Court of Oklahoma Territory. Colonel Clark is a fine example of that group of patriotic men who answered the call of their country in '61, just as the young men of the College are now doing.

The semi-annual meeting of the Board of Trustees will be held in the directors room at the Avers Bank on Tuesday, December 11th. Word has been received from the Reverend Thomas W. Smith of East Orange, New Jersey that he will attend this meeting. Several other out of town trustees will doubtless also be present.

When Dr. John Finley, Commissioner of Education of New York went to France last summer, he bore with him addresses from the colleges and universities of the United States to the Universities of France. President Rammekamp has just received word from Dr. Finley that these addresses have been printed in French by the French government and distributed throughout France.

President Rammekamp will attend the meeting of the Illinois Historical Society in Springfield on December 3rd.

Th students enjoyed a Thanksgiving recess on Thursday and Friday. Work will be resumed on Monday morning.

The letters which are being received from the boys to whom the cheer bags were sent indicates that these gifts from the students and faculty are greatly appreciated.

Frank Green, Wm. Wilding and Henry Strawn and wife were down to the city from Strawn's Crossing yesterday.

SPRINGFIELD WRITER LOOKS INTO FUTURE

Hence if Present Prices for Mining Coal Continue—Miners Will Be Retired Millionaires.

The Young Man About Town writing in his column of "Light Reading" in yesterday's Springfield News-Record wrote society news as it will be written in 1927.

On the news note—A half million dollars was paid out as wages for two weeks to 3,000 Springfield miners. Many of the envelopes contained hundred dollar bills and the average wage of the employees at one mine was \$11.32 a day.—The Young Man About Town wrote the following bits of satire:

Sam Sabotagesnik, wealthy miner of Tuxhorn shaft, purchased the DeVanderwater sunken gardens on Summit avenue, for \$150,000. He has given up his summer cottage in the Catskills.

John Smythe, former miner at Riverton, today left for his winter home in Florida on his palace train. He will entertain the Goulds at a two-weeks house party on his yacht, "The Black Diamond."

Edward Des Gasparris, late of Shaft No. 4 of the Springfield District Mining Co., entertained two hundred guests at an "at home" at the Des Gasparris cottage, Oak Knolls, last evening. William Jennings Bryan entertained with one of his popular lectures.

Harold Crushkewinck, famous Harvard fullback and leader of the Cambridge younger set, was entertained at a party at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Crushkewinck. The father retired in 1920 after working for two years in the Lincoln mine.

ANNOUNCE ENGAGEMENT.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Endsley of East College avenue have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Elsie Pearl Endsley to Charles Parke Lillard of Bloomington. The wedding will take place some time this month.

BIRTHDAY SURPRISE FOR MURRAYVILLE LAD

Frank Kennedy Honored by Friends on Sixteenth Birthday—Queen Esther Circles Entertainment a Success—Other Murrayville News.

Murrayville, Nov. 30.—William Gunn of Chicago was calling on old friends here the first of the week.

Frank Kennedy was given a pleasant surprise Friday evening in honor of his sixteenth birthday. About twenty of his friends were present and all had an enjoyable time. During the hours refreshments were served.

Miss Anna Hanback of Pearl is visiting her brother, Walter Hanback and family this week.

Mrs. A. M. Masters of Jacksonville spent Tuesday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Strang.

Mrs. A. J. Johnson was a Roodhouse visitor Wednesday.

Among those who attended the Morgan County Association of Odd Fellows and Rebekahs at Jacksonville Tuesday and Wednesday were Mrs. Arthur Seymour, Mrs. Millard, Mrs. Mary Gunn, Mrs. H. B. Rimboey and Mrs. S. P. Sooy.

Frank Connolly and wife of Bath visited the former's sister, Mrs. Annie Still the first of the week. Mrs. Still accompanied them home for a visit.

Charles Wright of Fayette, Mo., came Thursday for a short visit with home folks.

H. B. Gunn will leave Monday for Louisiana, Mo., where he has a position in a barber shop.

Mrs. N. A. Blakeman is reported quite seriously ill.

Mrs. S. A. Gunn of Jacksonville was a business visitor here Wednesday.

Miss Ruth Mellor of Litterberry is spending her Thanksgiving vacation with friends here.

The following guests were entertained Thanksgiving Day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Osborne: Miss Lena Wilson, Miss Mildred Fox, Miss Margaret Towle, S. W. Nichols and Miss Edna Osborne of Jacksonville and Mrs. Eliza Millon and Mrs. Alma Wright and daughter, Eliza Ellen.

Miss Cecile Cunningham of Bloomington is visiting home folks for a few days.

Mrs. C. T. Daniel is recovering from her recent illness, much to the gratification of her many friends.

Mrs. Mary Gunn and sons Claude and Harry and Walter Wiggins and family of Tallula enjoyed a turkey dinner Thanksgiving Day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Richards.

Mrs. Bessie James and Mrs. Clyde Moffat of Springfield came Wednesday for a short visit with home folks.

The entertainment and box supper given by the Queen Esther Circle Thanksgiving evening was a grand success. The proceeds were \$57.65.

Miss Helen McGhee of White Hall spent Thanksgiving with her parents here.

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WANTED

WANTED—Girls at Grand laundry.
11-8-17

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tle. J. W. Arnold. 11-13-17

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stove, 329 S. Clay Ave. 12-2-17

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phone 109. 12-2-17

WANTED—20 tons timothy hay.
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ry's Annex. 12-5-17

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November 24th. Finder return to
225 S. Main.** 12-1-17

**STRAYED from my place at Ar-
nold station a Duroc Jersey male
hog weighing from 175 to 200
pounds. Harry J. Rice.** 12-1-17

**LOST—Thanksgiving afternoon, ster-
ling silver link bracelet, each link**

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reigns there.

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the pleasure of a visit there and it
will be remembered with pleasure
for a long time. The school house is
pleasantly located, has vestibules for
wraps, a modern heating apparatus,
commodious desks, proper light and
many things to make it what a school
house should be, the only difficulty
being the fact that the young peo-
ple of the district are increasing in
number and seemingly a new build-
ing will be a necessity ere many
years elapse.

The directors, Messrs. Harold Joy,
Truman Lowdin and W. R. Zahn, are
enterprising gentlemen and will do
their duty to see they and they
will see it right.

The worthy teacher, C. A. Anusmus,
an old time and valued friend of the
writer, cordially greeted the visitors
and made them welcome as they
were on their way home from Con-
cord where they had been visiting
the schools of that place. Mr. Anus-
mus assembled his pupils as near
the front as possible and then the
visitor took them through the mazes
of a distant possession of our coun-
try, the Hawaiian Islands, and for-
tunately they had been studying
something in that line so that they
could well appreciate the specimens
brought for their inspection and the
pictures also.

The close attention paid the
speaker was indeed gratifying and
showed that most of what was being
said was well understood though of
course the wee ones could hardly
take it all in as well as the older pu-
pils.

A time was allowed for questions
and the visitor said he would like to
have fifty and they began to come in
good shape. The people, their habits
and customs; the islands and produc-
tions; and the number lacked but
very few of the fifty and had there
been more time the full amount
would have been asked.

Mr. Anusmus referred with consid-
erable pride to the equipment of the
schools. There were wall maps, a
globe, International dictionary, li-
brary of well selected books, organ
in shape, clock, well and pump. Prob-
ably some pictures will come next
and that would seem to complete the
equipment to a good degree.

The pupils are:
Boys—Edwin Delrick, Clifford
Cowdin, Truman Cowdin, Jr., George
Fox, Bayne Fouts, Vernon Fouts,
Omer McDonald, Carlos McDonald,
Warren Joy, Ernest Ragan, Roy Var-
man, Willie Watson, Harold Zahn,
Alaska Eskew, Frank Eskew, Jesse
Eskew, John Eskew, Charles Waters.
Girls—Mary Louise Cowdin, Luitie
Emerick, Cecil Emerick, Leta Fouts,
Bettie Joy, Irene McDonald, Argetta
McDonald, Grace Ragan, Freda Ra-
gan, Dora Watson, Maud Watson,
Lula Watson, Mildred Zahn, Maria
Eskew, Goldie Eskew, Addie Waters,
Nellie Waters, Mabel Waters, Mau-
rine Fox.

FRANKLIN.
W. S. Cross was taken to Passa-
want hospital Friday where he sub-
mitted to an operation for intestinal
trouble. At last reports his condi-
tion was considered satisfactory.
Dr. J. M. Elder disposed of his
household goods at public sale Sat-
urday. Dr. Elder disposed of his
residence property some time ago.
Frank Schirz who resides near
Franklin was taken to our Savior's
hospital suffering from heart trouble.

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James Mahon were down to the city
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12-2-17

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lar bills and six ones. Reward.
Return to Journal.** 12-2-17

COW - CATTLE SALE

100 HEAD

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guese Presbyterian church held a social
at the residence of the pastor Rev. E. N.
Pipes.

David Heimlich was happily surprised
by a number of neighbors and friends
who surprised him at his home on the oc-
casion of his birthday.

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(B) 80 acres, one and one-half miles from good town on the C. & A. and on two auto routes. Land generally level timber soil. Twenty-five acres in wheat, fifteen acres in meadow, eight acres blue grass. Six room house, barn for 10 horses, corn crib and implement shed, etc. Price \$125.

(C) We have four and three-fourths acres with a three room house, barn, smoke house and chicken house. This farm lies six miles north of the city and can be had for \$1,500.

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FUNERAL OF MRS. CLARK AT MANCHESTER TODAY

Aged Scott County Resident Passed Away After Long Illness—Former Resident Died at Wilton Springs, Mo.—Other Manchester News.

Manchester, Dec. 1.—Mrs. W. S. Clark passed away at her home three miles west of Manchester Thursday afternoon, after an illness of several months duration. Mrs. Clark has spent her entire life in the vicinity of Manchester. She was 77 years old and leaves beside the husband, four children, Charles, residing in Brownsville, Texas; Oscar, residing in Colorado; William Clark and Mrs. Jay Ash, living near Manchester. Mrs. Clark was one of the oldest and best known residents of Manchester vicinity. She was, before her marriage, Tabitha Ann Akers, daughter of Thomas Akers, a Scott County pioneer. She was a woman well respected and esteemed by her many friends. Funeral services will be held from the residence Sunday morning at 10:00 o'clock. Interment made in Bowers cemetery.

Orlando Whitney died at his home near Wilton Springs, Mo., Wednesday, Nov. 28, at the age of 81 years. Mr. Whitney was for many years a resident of Scott county and left this vicinity about twenty years ago. During his residence here he was one of Scott County's most successful farmers using for farming purposes about 700 acres of land. He was well and favorably known to the older residents of Manchester. Funeral services will be held from the Manchester Baptist Church Sunday afternoon at one o'clock. Interment in Bowers cemetery.

Miss Mildred Scott of the Illinois Woman's College, Jacksonville, was the guest Friday of Mrs. Ray Curtis. Mrs. Carrie Simmons is spending the week with relatives in Wright.

Misses Nona and Juanita McLean of Patterson are guests of Miss Florence and Cora Lemon.

Miss Hesse Baker of Roodhouse spent Thursday with her sister, Mrs. J. F. Travis and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Andras, Jr., spent Friday in Jacksonville.

Mrs. Roy Curtis was a Jacksonville visitor Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Saye and son, Edwin Andras, of Jacksonville, are visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Andras, Sr.

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WOMAN'S COMMITTEE OF ILLINOIS ADOPTS PLAN FOR WINTER

As soon as a district is organized and registered, that district must waste no time in making use of its organization and registration in helping this country win the war, is the decision of the executive council of the Woman's Committee for Illinois. A letter will be sent from the State Chairman, Mrs. Joseph T. Bowen, to every city, town and county chairman this week telling the general program to be followed by the women of Illinois this winter, but until the details of that program are worked out, the women of Illinois are asked in this same letter to meet a very pressing demand.

"Not just these men who belong to regiments that are befriended by influential people, but every Illinois man who has entered the service should be supplied with warm things for the winter," says Mrs. Bowen. She therefore says in the letter to the chairman all over the state, "will you find out from your Exemption Board the number and names of the men who have gone from your community, town, ward, or city, to the training camps or to the front, and also the name of those who have volunteered. Will you then, under the direction of your Red Cross Branch, have your women make the necessary articles such as sweaters, socks, wristlets, helmets, comfort bags, etc., and send them to the nearest Red Cross station with instructions to forward to Illinois troops."

"It is very desirable to establish close personal relations as possible, with the families of the men who have gone to war. We suggest that in each community the women whose breadwinner has gone to the front be occasionally gathered together; that at these gatherings women knit, make comfort bags, or prepare Christmas boxes for the boys in the camps or at the front."

The letter also adds, "Find out if your Red Cross Branch has a Civilian Relief Committee; if not, urge the organization of one immediately, in order to render such help as may be needed by the families of soldiers and sailors."

The chairman of registration reports that Morgan county cards are being filed at the Public Library. Lists will be sent out to those residing in Jacksonville and adjacent towns who have expressed a willingness to serve locally. The cards of those who have expressed a willingness to serve outside the state will be filed at the library or sent to headquarters in Chicago.

LOST TOP OFF OF AUTOMOBILE
An autoist whose name was not learned lost the top off of his car at the East State street railroad crossing Saturday morning when he ran into the gates when they were lowered. The man was driving a Lexington car.

EARL N. EPLER NOW IN AVIATION SERVICE

Earl N. Epler, a former Illinois College man, and for some years employed at the Deppe Dry Goods store in this city, has successfully passed the examination for a place in the aviation department of the United States army and expects a call to the service in the near future. For the past few months Mr. Epler has been in the employ of the Kuhl Dry Goods company of Beardstown. He is a young man of ability and popular in Jacksonville and Beardstown society circles.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Whorton and Miss May Cross of Franklin were numbered among the Saturday visitors in the city.

CHURCH SERVICES

Central Christian Church, M. L. Pontius, minister. The Bible school session will begin at 9:15 a. m., C. L. DePew, superintendent. Morning worship at 10:45. Address by K. A. Shumaker of Chicago, Illinois. Evening service at 7:30. Address by Dean J. M. Artman, Chicago. Subject, "The Challenge to Serve." Mrs. Wilson, Mrs. Wehl, Mr. Boyd and Mr. Strasser will sing at both church services. William E. Ooley, Los Angeles, Cal., will sing a solo at the morning service. Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m. Leader of the Seniors, Miss Amelia Carlson; of the Intermediates, Chester Ashley and Donald Fitzgerald. The Farewell Service of the Older Boys' Conference will be held at 8:45 in this church.

Trinity Episcopal Church. Advent Sunday. Early service 7:30. Sunday school 9:30. Holy Communion and sermon 10:45. Woman's Auxiliary will hold regular monthly meeting in the Guild house Monday at 3 o'clock. Miss Potts will have the paper, "Bishop Hare, the Apostle to the South Dakota Indians." J. F. Langdon, Rector.

Salem Evangelical Lutheran Church, East College street. Rev. J. G. Kuppler, pastor. First Sunday in Advent. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Public worship in English at 10:30 a. m. and in German at 7:30 p. m. German Advent services Wednesday evening. The Ladies Aid will meet Thursday with Mrs. Fred Brown, 821 East State street. The Luther-Walther Circle will meet Thursday evening at the school.

Centenary Methodist Episcopal Church, W. R. Leslie, Minister. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. C. Metcalf, superintendent. Morning worship at 10:45. Address by one of the speakers of the Older Boys' Conference, Junior League at 6:30. Evening song service begins at 7:30. Preaching by the pastor.

The Ministerial Association will meet in the Y. M. C. A. Reading Room Monday at 10:30 a. m.

Congregational Church. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Classes for all and a welcome for all. Brotherhood Bible Class at 9:30. A place for men. Morning worship at 10:45 a. m. Address by Rev. E. C. Walcott, executive secretary of Boys' Conference. No evening service. Prayer meeting as usual Wednesday evening at 7:30. Topic: "The Optimist's Note Book," Philippians 4:8-20, Paul—The Christian Optimist. Mobilizing the mind upon the signs of progress. Closing in on cynicism.

State Street Presbyterian Church, R. B. Wilson, pastor. 9:30 Sunday school. T. M. Tomlinson, superintendent. Classes for all ages. Special music and a splendid place to start the day. Miss Edna Hackett will sing. 10:45 Mr. O. B. Read will speak. Remember the mass meeting in the afternoon. Bring the boys with you to Sunday school and church. 7:30 the second sermon on the Prodigal Son. "In the Far Country, or the Rule of Sin." A good audience heard the first sermon and you will want to hear this one. All are welcome.

First Baptist Church, Corner of State and Church streets. A. A. Todd, pastor. Bible school at 9:30 a. m. Graded and organized classes for all. Superintendent, Carl Weber. Public hours of worship, 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. S. H. Swits, community secretary of Austin, Ill., will speak at the morning service. Pastor A. A. Todd will speak at the evening service on "Hezekiah's Loyalty to Jehovah." B. Y. P. U. service at 6:30 p. m. Topic: "Self-Control," leader, A. A. Todd, pastor. Prayer service, Wednesday 7:30 p. m. Topic: "The Church and Its Spirituality." Services at Baptist Chapel Sunday 2:30 p. m. and Friday night service will be evangelistic, conducted by a group of young men from the Illinois college.

Grace Methodist Episcopal Church, F. B. Madden, minister. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Morning worship 10:45. Address by Dean J. M. Artman, Y. M. C. A. college, Chicago. Mr. Robert V. Shoemaker will sing. Epworth League 6:30 p. m. Brief talks by Merle Poulk of Urbana, and Mr. Brewer of Chaddock Boys' School, Quincy. Mr. F. M. Deerkake, State Y. M. C. A. Secretary, will make the closing address. Evening service at 7:30. Address by one of the speakers of the Older Boys' Conference. The chorus will sing "O Lord! How Manifold," by Barnby. Everybody cordially invited and heartily welcomed.

Westminster Church—The Sunday school meets at 9:30. At the close of the class work O. B. Read of Chicago will speak to the school. Let us have all our classes full. Be sure to hear Mr. Read, he will have a message for us. W. J. Beidley is superintendent. The pastor is very glad to announce that Charles E. Senreck, general secretary of the Illinois Sunday school association, will be present and speak to us. Evening worship at 7:30. A cordial welcome is extended to all services. Prayer meeting Wednesday at 7:30. The ladies of the church will sew all day Wednesday and at 5:30 The Hustlers, class of boys, will serve a chicken supper, to which they invite all friends. A good supper is promised.

Northminster Presbyterian Church—Walter E. Spoonst, minister. Preaching at 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. P. M. Deerkake of Chicago will speak at the morning hour. Mr. Deerkake is one of the state workers of the Y. M. C. A. and is one of the leading figures in the recent Army Y. M. C. A. campaign. We are exceedingly fortunate in having him as our speaker. Be sure to hear him. We do not know at this time who will be our speaker for the evening, but come prepared to hear one of the

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FRENCH ARMY OFFICER POINTS TO U. S. DUTY

LIEUT. PERIGORD STIRS HEARTS
OF JACKSONVILLE AUDIENCE

With One Mind and Heart We Must Support the Government, He Declared. If Liberty is to Live—America Must Awake to Peril or Germany's Crushing Rule Will Come.

SOME PERIGORD POINTS

This is not a war. It is a crusade.

Lose the battle and Germany will enslave you soul and body.

We are fighting to free the world from the spectre of the sword.

America must learn that it takes years to organize an army.

You must be not only defenders but apostles of liberty.

Fear is a lesson that you and your soldiers must learn.

No nation really exists until its people are united by suffering.

When your country calls, nothing belongs to you, not even life.

The first duty of Americans is to back the administration, heart and soul.

The worst traitor is he who spreads abroad distrust of his government.

The ocean is no longer a barrier to your enemies but a bridge upon which they may travel.

America, rich and prosperous and unprepared is the greatest temptation to conquest in all the world.

France is ready to forgive the German people because of undying faith in democracy.

When I think of the bravery of countless thousands who have fallen at the front, I am almost ashamed to live.

Those people who thronged the circuit court room Saturday night to hear the address on the war by Lieut. Paul Perigord of the staff of the French army, regretted that all Jacksonville was not there to hear him. With an oratory born of both mind and heart, this French officer pointed plainly to the pathway America must follow if the world is made safe for democracy. With unsparring yet with delicate hand he touched upon the unpreparedness of the United States and proved to his auditors that with nations, just as with individuals, there is little in this world really worth while that does not come thru sacrifice.

Judge Owen P. Thompson presided at the Saturday night meeting and the invocation was by Rev. A. A. Todd, pastor of the Baptist church. In a brief way Judge Thompson made reference to the notable career of Lieut. Perigord and then presented him to the audience to tell the story of the great sacrifice at France has made in the name of democracy and to remind the American people anew of their duty to themselves and to the world in this hour of crisis—this period when democracy is on trial.

Decorated for Bravery
Lieut. Perigord is a Frenchman but prior to the great war was taking advanced work at Harvard and was putting the finishing touches on his thesis for a master's degree. Before going east, he, an ordained priest, had been serving on the faculty of the seminary of St. Paul at St. Paul, Minn. But in the early days of the war he concluded that the pathway

of duty led across the sea to France and there he went. He proffered his services to the French government as a priest to go to the front, but as there was no vacancy at the time he immediately enlisted as a soldier and the short space of fifteen days found him in the trenches.

Upon the left breast of his blue army uniform Lieut. Perigord wears the insignia of bravery, and it is recorded that eight times in his army career he has been decorated for deeds of heroism. About two months ago he was sent by the French government, at the request of the United States, as one of the French officers to give instruction to officers and soldiers in this country. He has been located at Camp Devens, Mass., and a few weeks ago at the earnest request of the United States secretary of war, agreed to deliver a few addresses in various cities throughout the United States.

Soldier's Business Not Preaching
Lieut. Perigord did not relate these facts about himself to his audience last night, for early in his address he summed up his attitude on these personal things by the statement that he wholly disliked the position he found himself in, of going about making addresses—in a certain sense preaching to the American people and telling them of their duty. "It is a soldier's business to fight and not to talk or advise," the lieutenant said, and later he gave the best kind of an insight into the inherent bravery of his heart when he said, "As I think of the conflict which is now being waged that the principles of civilization may exist, as I think of the countless thousands who have willingly made the supreme sacrifice, I am almost ashamed to be alive."

No address on the war heard in Jacksonville has so thrilled the people—so appealed to their minds and souls. Lieut. Perigord did not give the details of butchery, he did not make his hearers' blood run cold as he related the horrible sufferings of innocent women and children, but with the deft touch possible because of the French ancestry and his marvelous native oratory, he took his auditors with him to his viewpoint of the world as it is today. Let them see the part that America must play. Then in a way equally gentle and effective he turned on the searchlight of introspection, and every patriotic man and woman indulged in a bit of self-study and resolved anew that the first duty of all who are truly patriotic now is loyalty to the government.

Only Suffering Makes a Nation
"You have no nation here," the lieutenant said, "for the nation does not exist until its people are bound together by mutual suffering. You must go down thru the shadows together and emerge hand in hand triumphant before there comes the real feeling of brotherhood which spells national life. When the army of Germany made its onslaught upon Belgium it was France that erected a living wall to hold back those who believed that might makes right and that Germany is destined to rule the world. I have come to tell you, among other things, that your soldiers and you must learn fear. Up to this time you have been fearless because you have not thoroly understood the import of this world conflict and have not seen that your own rights to life and liberty are threatened. But we in France have seen a million of our brethren willingly sacrifice their lives that liberty may live."

"The French people love the United States but for a time it was hard for them to understand why this country did not come to their rescue, why this country was not willing to fight for the principles its founders held so dear. Those of us who knew America better were sure that the time would come when the strong arm of the United States would reach out in active aid. There was a time when the message that America was 'too proud to fight' was misinterpreted thruout the world and even some friends of America had the feeling that the people here were too materialistic—too interested in commercial life to meet the real issues of the hour."

Duty Led U. S. Into War
"When I left this country for France one of the faculty of the university gave me a little American flag to carry with me, and said prophetically that many other flags would some time follow. I had faith that this would be true, just as all familiar with the real life and ideals of America had faith. If you had not entered this conflict this flag, which even Frenchmen think the most beautiful emblem in the world would have been dishonored. Some of you have thought of the French as a frivolous people but I know that

France is a Christian nation. I have seen many generals begin the day with prayer and thousands of soldiers have gone 'over the top' unflinchingly and bravely, with words of prayer upon their lips.

"The spirit of the French people is seen too, in the manner in which they treat their prisoners. French soldiers divide their rations with their German prisoners. They bind up their wounds and give them the same care that they give to those who are fighting side by side with them. German Victory Would Enslave Us."

"Tonight let us remember that if England were not guarding the sea and if the soldiers of France were not in the trenches, this beautiful land of yours would be desecrated as have been the fields of Belgium and northern France. Many Americans, in their lack of appreciation of what an army really means, have felt that if danger threatened, in a night's time a million men would spring to arms to defend their country's honor. But the stern fact faces us that it takes years to organize an army in a modern way."

"It is fortunate, indeed, that the American idea has changed to some extent on this point—that you have seen the light and are now organizing a great army to do your share in this world struggle for liberty. The American idea has changed to some extent on this point—that you have seen the light and are now organizing a great army to do your share in this world struggle for liberty. The American idea has changed to some extent on this point—that you have seen the light and are now organizing a great army to do your share in this world struggle for liberty."

Soldiers Proud to Die
"I have seen on the battlefields of France thousands of soldiers go to their death, willing to make that sacrifice, proud to lay down their lives in this cause of liberty. I have seen so much of this real unselfishness, this nobility of sacrifice, that today I am almost ashamed to be alive. You think of America as a nation but you are not a nation and cannot be until you have suffered. Your loyalty must be demonstrated. I have marveled as I have been in this country in recent weeks, to note the efforts of some men to measure the amount of sacrifice necessary. I have seen working men struggling over the hours of labor and capitalists talking about the amount of pay and figuring the portion of their incomes that must be given because of the war. At the battle front and in the trenches soldiers do not question their hours of labor. Often they spend twenty-four hours a day in the effort to go on forward and forward in fighting your battles and mine."

"You must learn not only to be defenders of liberty but apostles of liberty. Here in this land you enjoy your because of inheritance from your forefathers. These blessings are enjoyed by others who have come to your shores from foreign lands, and few indeed have there been until recently who have fully appreciated these blessings. Only as you compare conditions here and in some other countries can there come a real understanding of what that inheritance means to you. And so in the past a certain sense of forgetfulness has characterized the American people, but now you are face to face with the time for sacrifice and suffering."

Only One Kind of Loyalty
"When your country calls, nothing belongs to you. If your country asks your life there is but one answer and that is to give it. The first duty of all at this time is to back your administration with heart and soul. There is no time or room now for political differences and there is only one kind of loyalty—that which forgets self and is willing to sacrifice all upon the country's altar."

"You may not have a boy of your own in this world war but every boy that you send across the sea is yours. There are two kinds of enemies to face, one in the trenches and one at home. Any man who in any way undermines the strength of this nation—who fails in supporting the government—is a traitor to those boys who have gone across the sea. Pessimism and skepticism sometimes do as much harm as bullets and there is no one more traitorous than he who by insidious utterances helps to spread abroad dissatisfaction with, or distrust in, his government."

Must Unite Heart and Soul
"You people of America thought well about this war before you entered it. The conflict was on for three years before there came the realization that the fight is yours as well as ours. You have had a greater foreign element in this country than you have imagined. I have heard German generals say that the Kaiser has said in the past that no president of the United States was elected without his approval. This is not merely hearsay or rumor. A study of real conditions will show how the German emperor's influence has been in your affairs."

"In these days democracy must temporarily turn itself into an autocracy, for an autocracy means a complete obedience to the government. This is necessary for the people of this country must join with the French people and those from England and Italy and Ireland and other nations with one heart and one soul if this war is to be won. I do not like to sermonize, I do not like to make this preaching, but the American people must be led to realize that they are not

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prepared for war and that the great burden of liberty for the free peoples of the world rest upon them.

"Leaders of the French people and of your other allies across the sea are firmly convinced that this is America's last chance—that you must organize now a thoroly equipped army and that you must keep it as long as any nation keeps a great force. I am not naturally a believer in an army, for the army is a parasite. So is a policeman, but the latter is necessary for the preservation of order in the local community, and so is the world affairs are, the peace of nations. So we will grant that the army is an evil but declare also that it is a necessity."

America's Last Chance
"I can believe the words of the generals of the French army—words that I have heard fall from their own lips—that it is their firm belief that this is America's last chance. If that chance is not met and a thoroly organized army put in the field, you in this country will feel the iron heel of the conquest loving German. How can you expect to live in peace and plenty while other nations are impoverished and bleeding? You stand today as a national temptation to the conquest loving. The ocean is not a barrier and a defence, the ocean is a bridge to make possible the entrance of your enemies. History tells us that in time of the earlier conquests of Germany that only the sky and the earth were left. I have read those lines and references. But the German armies of today have gone further than their ancestors and today in northern France there remains only the sky, for the earth itself has been devastated and made destitute. What were once fertile fields have been robbed of all their resources by this war, which has devastated even nature itself."

"I can tell you of the great and enduring love that the French people have for the people of the United States. I can tell you of our high regard for the English people, who, despite differences of the past, are now fighting nobly side by side with us. And you may ask, what is our attitude toward Germany? After all that France has endured thru these years, remembering still the countless tragedies, the widowed wives and motherless children, still France is willing to stretch out her arms in forgiveness."

Ready to Forgive Germans
"France is willing to forgive because democracy is founded upon faith in people, and France believes that with the right teachers and with proper influences and environment that the German people will in the end become the friends of democracy and the enemies of that autocracy which today is seeking to control the world. Our fight is not against the German people but against that hellish spirit that places might above right—that spirit which has hesitated at no crime and has sought to stamp upon all the world the principle that only one race is fit to rule."

"Germany has declared that France and Great Britain could not withstand her arms. They have referred with open contempt to the unpreparedness of this nation as a nation of merchants. For forty years their army has been forming and when the war came on with a ruthlessness of method unequalled in history, they have sought to terrorize the nations by sheer frightfulness. It is not for me to apologize for German methods. Read the works of German philosophers and historians and you will find there the proof of that barbarism. Germany glories in it and has declared that frightfulness in warfare is really mercifulness because it means the shortest course and brings the end of the war nearer at hand."

Paris and Washington
"But the real message that I bring to you tonight is that it is your duty to be of one heart and one soul until victory is won. I would bid you remember too that now you have two capitals, one of them at Washington and the other in Paris. Were you in Paris tonight you would see more American flags than you can see in any great city in your own land. Those flags have inspired our people not only with a new love for you, but fired them with a new enthusiasm and hopefulness and have given them the certain assurance that this great battle for democracy is about to be won. Since the war has been in progress you have aided us in many ways. Your sympathy buoyed us up. We appreciated the kindly gifts for our bereaved women and children, but the real help came when the voice of your president, now beloved or feared in every country of the world, came to us across the sea. That voice as it came took on some of the majesty and solemnity of the deep, as it gave the message that 'the world must be made safe for democracy'."

The Women of France
"Now you are sending your armies to aid in this great battle. Some of the soldiers will stay—not many I hope—and the sooner the American people realize the real seriousness of the world situation, know in their hearts that they must stand as one man if the nation lives, the fewer will be the numbers of those who cross the sea not to return. And as I go from you it is with the message to you that those soldiers who do not return but who sleep in graves in France, will have weeping mothers standing at their tombs and mourning sisters straying flowers upon their graves. The women of France, acquainted with grief thru these years, are ready to give this manifestation of their love for you and yours, their deep affection for those soldiers of yours who have become their soldiers."

FOR JEWELRY
Schram & Buhrman's Store

LICENSED TO MARRY.
Charles H. Hopper, Nortonville; Dorothy Wilkerson, Waverly.

C. L. FRENCH DIES AT FLORIDA HOME

Well Known Resident of Jacksonville Passes Away at Winter Home in Pensacola, Fla.—Had Been in Ill Health for Several Months—Funeral at Pensacola This Afternoon.

O. A. Morris received a telegram this morning from Pensacola, Fla., announcing the death at his winter home in that city, of Charles L. French. Tho Mr. French had been in ill health for a number of months, his physical condition appeared to be greatly improved when he left for the south in October and news of his death came as a shock to his many friends.

Charles L. French was the son of William and Elizabeth French and was born in this city 78 years ago. His early life was spent here and here he enlisted in the union army for service during the civil war.

At the close of the war Mr. French did not return to Jacksonville but took up his residence in the southern part of the state. For a number of years he resided at DuQuoin and engaged in the insurance business. In 1883 he returned to Jacksonville, which has since been his residence. For several years past he has spent the winter months in Pensacola, Fla., where he had purchased a residence.

Mr. French was twice married. His first wife was Miss Anna Muddock to whom he was married at DuQuoin. To this union two children were born, both of whom preceded him in death. He was again married to Miss Maude Crisler who survives him. He also leaves one sister, Miss Mary French of this city.

Mr. French was one of the oldest and best known insurance men in the state. For many years he acted as an insurance adjuster and his work took him to many parts of the country and he was considered an expert in this branch of the work. For a number of years he had not engaged actively in insurance work, tho he maintained an office in this city and did special work occasionally for some of the companies he represented.

Tho he had a habit of expressing his sentiments rather emphatically, yet withal Mr. French was kindly and it was worth something to know that he could be numbered among ones friends. He was a member of Hospitaler commandery No. 31 of Knights Templar and of Jacksonville Lodge of Elks No. 682. Funeral services will be held in Pensacola this afternoon.

Music at Peacock Inn Sunday evening.

WILL CELEBRATE WEDDING ANNIVERSARY
Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Eckman of Decatur will celebrate their fiftieth wedding anniversary at their home next Wednesday, Dec. 5th. Rev. Eckman was some years ago a resident of Jacksonville, having charge of one of the Methodist churches here. A son, Dr. J. W. Eckman, resides at Winchester, Ill.

ALL OUR MILLINERY REDUCED FOR A CLEARING SALE. COME EARLY; IT WILL PAY YOU.
J. HERMAN.

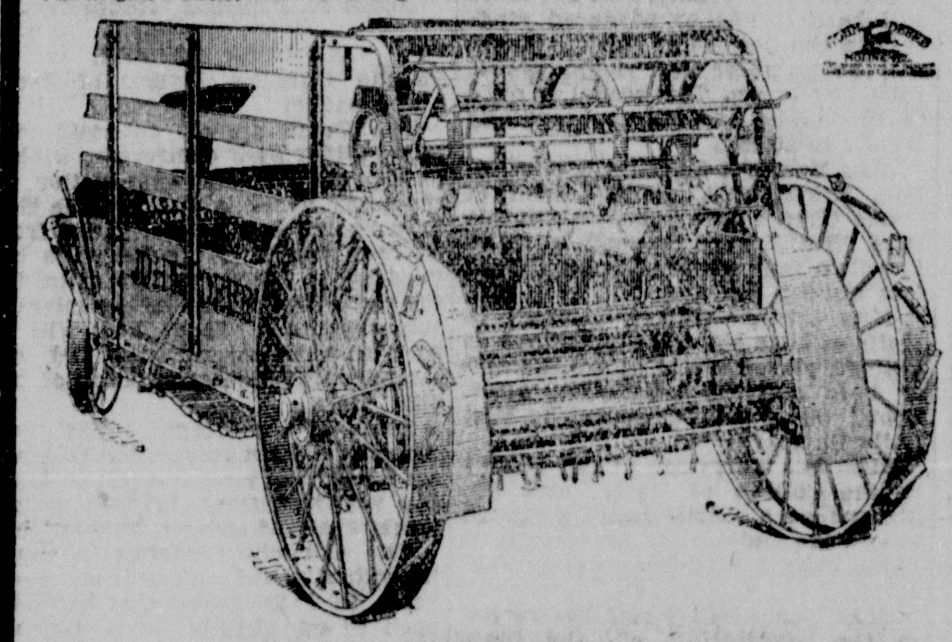
Mr. and Mrs. Hector Deryn, formerly residents of Howe street, have moved from Jacksonville and will live at Pauls Valley, Okla. They own a ranch in that locality and are going to the southwest for that reason. Mr. and Mrs. Deryn are Belgians and have a brother serving in the Belgian army.

Turkey supper and bazar—Centenary church, Dec. 4th.

MATHIS, KAMM & SHIBE SAY:
Large shipments of ladies' brown shoes have arrived during the past few days; good variety of styles and prices. Come in and see them.



Royal Fence
A continuous stay fence of big wires woven together with the famous Royal Loop. Look for this sign in every roll. "Royal Fence, Made by American Steel & Wire Company." Full weight. Full sized wire. Full length of rolls.



"If it's from HALL'S—That's All"

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A quality fence, is adaptable for every farm use, as well as gardens and poultry yards. All heights and sizes of wire on hand. Fence will be higher soon.

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Manure Spreaders
with Straw Spreader attachment—two machines in one.

Don't burn straw.
Don't waste straw.
Money in the straw pile; spread straw on wheat now. Straw is richer fertilizer than manure.



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SAVE — Much time on wash day. You merely put the clothes in the machine, turn on the water, and the Little Giant does the rest. (Sit down and knit.)

The Little Giant is the best and simplest Water Motor ever put on the market; fewer parts, in fact, simplicity itself—

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For a limited time we will sell these washers complete, motor and all, for \$18.50. This is only to introduce them, so you will have to buy now to get one at this price. (Don't come a week or two too late and expect to get one at anything like this price.)

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Every year more and more people are coming to us for brushes. They have learned to know that brushes make very acceptable gifts. They have learned to know, too, that we give the best values in brushes of every kind.

HAT BRUSHES

with long flexible bristles that get to every nook and corner of a hat.

HAIR BRUSHES

— long bristles and short, the kind that ladies like and those suitable for men's hair. Many kinds of wood.

CLOTH BRUSHES

made especially for taking dust out of every crease and wrinkle.

MILITARY HAIR BRUSHES

These are the hair brushes that particular men insist upon having.

We can't begin to tell you all about our line of brushes; it will require a visit to our store to get a true idea of our variety. COME TODAY.

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You will find the kind you need and like, whether it be heavy leather or rubber footwear or the most delicate dress pumps.

We are now showing heavy leather footwear in shoes, lace boots, booties and boots in a large variety of styles.

Rubber footwear of all kinds. We advise early buying; we do not know whether present stocks can be replaced.

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Rubber Footwear of all Kinds	HOPPER'S We Repair Shoes	Felt Slippers for Xmas
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BOOKS FOR SOLDIERS; BEST CHRISTMAS GIFTS

Young Americans in War are Hungry for Something Good to Read—Thousands of Books Will be Sent Them.

To My Friends:

Never in the history of the country will there be such a buying of books for the soldiers as the present Christmas season. One of the soldier boys now at Houston, Texas, has written me a letter in which he states that the boys want some good books to read. Such books as "Private Peat," "Over the Top," "The Major" by Ralph Connor, "A Student in Arms" and others are an inspiration to any soldier boy. One soldier at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, told me recently that he had "Over the Top" was one of the greatest books on the war he had ever read.

Why not send the young men some good wholesome literature. No greater or more lasting gift can be given than a good book. Its influence reaches out to others and it rightly chosen, makes life worth living. Think it over. Buy books for the soldier boys.

Yours truly,

B. F. Lane,
Bargain Book Store,
W. State St.

WILL LEAVE MONDAY FOR SOUTHERN HOSPITALS

Miss Ruth Stadler and Miss Ella Walker, Red Cross nurses, who have enlisted for service in hospitals in army cantonments in the U. S. will leave for the south Monday. Miss Stadler will go to Atlanta and Miss Walker to Alexandria, La.

Elliott State Bank
Christmas Savings Club

COLLEGE OF MUSIC

Owing to Thanksgiving day, the regular weekly students recital was omitted. The one on next Thursday will be given by intermediate students in the College of Music.

On Monday evening, Dec. 10, there will be a recital by advanced students in the College of Music. There will be numbers for violin, piano, voice and organ. This recital is open to the public and all are cordially invited to attend.

Miss Margaret Scrimger a pupil of Mrs. Hartmann's, sang a solo at Grace Church last Sunday morning. Miss Elva Brown, a pupil of Miss Lazelle's, sang a solo at Grace church last Sunday evening.

Miss Bertha Walker, a pupil in violin of Miss Moore at the Woman's College, played a solo before the older boys conference Saturday afternoon. She was accompanied by Miss Laila Skinner.

Miss Ina Berryman of the faculty in the College of Music and Mr. Stearns gave a half hour program before the Older Boys conference at Grace church Saturday evening, Dec. 1st.

Miss Moore will repeat her recital in the auditorium of the State School for the Blind Sunday afternoon, Dec. 2, at 4 o'clock.

ANNOUNCEMENT!

Dr. James A. Day of Springfield has opened a Jacksonville office in Rooms 1, 5 and 6 of the Scott Building, just west of the Court House where he can be consulted every Wednesday.

Edward Black of Pike county and formerly a resident of Shiloh vicinity, is visiting friends in the old home.

BRIEF PARAGRAPHS FROM WINCHESTER

Items of Interest from the Capital of Scott County and Vicinity.

Winchester, Ill., Dec. 1.—Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wade left Saturday for their home in Peoria.

Ben S. Green of Riggsport was a visitor here Saturday.

Mrs. G. R. Brown arrived Saturday noon from an extended visit with relatives at Berthard, Colo., and in St. Louis.

Mrs. Harry Stewart and daughter arrived home today after enjoying Thanksgiving with relatives in Beardstown.

Miss Bessie McLaughlin arrived Saturday from Jacksonville for a short visit with relatives here.

Miss Gertrude Benson and twin sisters returned to their home in Jacksonville after a visit with relatives in Winchester.

William Hitt, Jr., of Merritt was a business visitor here today.

The box social and supper which was held at West Hickory school Wednesday night was well attended. The teacher of this school is Miss Mary Owings. The sale of the boxes brought the neat sum of \$67.

Frank Lilley left Saturday night for St. Joe, Mich., after a short visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Grant Mader, and with his mother, Mrs. Mary Lilley.

Miss Ray Goldstein left Saturday night for Gary, Ind. Miss Goldstein has had charge of the ready to wear and millinery departments of the Hainsfurther store here and will be greatly missed in business and social circles in Winchester.

KNIGHTS TEMPLAR ATTENTION!

Knights Templar are requested to assemble at the Asylum, Sunday, at 12 o'clock noon, to attend the funeral of our deceased Frater Trave Elmore at Ashland. Alton train leaves 12:50 p. m.; returning, arrives 8:35 p. m. Knights owning cars and wishing to go by motor may do so.

P. V. Coover, Commander.
John R. Phillips, Recorder.

AN OPEN LETTER.

To the Christian Homes of Jacksonville:

The Committee on entertainment of the Older Boys' Conference wishes to express its deep appreciation to the many homes in Jacksonville that have been opened to our guests from all over the state. Jacksonville has lived up to her reputation of taking the right kind of care of her splendid young visitors. These boys will go back to their communities and will spread abroad the good name of our city.

Some of the delegates who were expected did not arrive, but this was not discovered until too late to make any readjustments in the assignments that had already been made.

The Committee wishes to thank individually and collectively every home in Jacksonville that has been open to our visiting boys. Since it is not possible to see each one personally, we wish every one to know that the Committee appreciates the kind and thoughtful care given to our guests.

Respectfully submitted,
A. C. Metcalf,
Chairman on Entertainment.

**75 BEAUTIFUL DRESSES
— OF SATINS, TAFFETA,
CHARMEUSE AND GEOR-
ETTE COMBINATIONS—IN
BLACK AND PRETTY CO-
LORS—REDUCED MONDAY
TO CLOSE OUT IN THREE
LOTS—DRESSES UP TO
\$18.50 FOR \$8.75; DRESSES
UP TO \$25.00 FOR \$14.75,
AND DRESSES UP TO \$28.50
FOR \$18.75. THESE SALE
PRICES WILL INCLUDE
FREE THE PROPER ALTER-
ATIONS.**

F. J. WADDELL & CO.

NEW SERVICE STATION.

Delbert Erickson, who has been working for the Ford Co., Chicago in the service department, will start Ford Service in this city. He will be located with Braner and Jensen at corner North East and East Court street, but his Ford repair business will be run entirely independent of them. His special tools, etc., are arriving and commencing Monday, December 3rd, 1917, he will be in condition to give Ford owners good service at reasonable prices. The Ford Co. give Mr. Erickson a very high recommendation and he will be able to give the very best workmanship. Braner and Jensen will continue their service to Maxwell owners even better than before.

Books, Kodaks, Stationery, Novelties, Toys, Xmas Decorations, Developing, Printing, Doll Hospital.
The Book & Novelty Shop
59 E. Side Sq.

BIDS FOR CONSTRUCTION OF COW SHED.

Sealed bids for the construction of a cow shed at the County Farm according to the plans and specifications now on file in the office of the County Clerk. Bids will be received at the office of the County Clerk until Saturday, Dec. 8th, 12:00 noon.

Bids to cover the cost of erection only, as the Commissioners will furnish all materials at site. The right is reserved to reject any and all bids. Commissioners of Morgan County.

DR. MARTIN POST DIES IN CALIFORNIA

Former Pastor of Joy Prairie Church Has Ended a Long and Useful Life.

Word has been received of the recent death of Rev. Martin Post at his late home in Eagle Rock, Southern California. He had been in delicate health for some time and had been cared for by Miss Allie Dick, a trained nurse, and at one time a resident of this city. Deceased was about 82 years of age at the time of his death. As is well known, he was a brother of Dr. R. O. Post, so long a resident of this city and was a man of fine attainments. He was born in Logansport, Indiana and early studied for the ministry and served churches over a large territory, Atlanta, Georgia, being a place of work for some time. His last charge was the Joy Prairie Congregational church, the members of which esteemed him very highly.

During his ministry there he went east and returned with his second wife, a helpmeet in every sense of the word and beloved by all. When they went away it was a cause of deep regret on the part of all the parishioners they left behind them.

Mr. Post is survived by his wife who resides in southern California.

After leaving the Joy Prairie church in 1910 Dr. Post went to Eagle Rock and joined the Congregational church. Later when a Presbyterian church was established there he became identified with it. His pastorate included 15 years at Sterling, Ill., and for two years and a half he preached at Atlanta University. It was while serving there that he wrote "The River Minister," a book which had wide recognition.

The funeral services were held at Eagle Rock Presbyterian church in charge of Rev. Robert Cleland, who said that Dr. Post's life was his eulogy.

ANNOUNCEMENT

Robinson's Hat Shop announces for this week a clearance sale of all Fall and Winter models in Hats, Blouses and afternoon Gowns—these are all round service garments and at the sharp reduction in prices will prove interesting to buyers.

ROBINSON'S HAT SHOP
Removed from Ayers B. B. to
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MATHIS, KAMM & SHIBE SAY:

They have never overlooked the fact that the shoe retailer of today must study not only different types of feet, but different types of mind and different types of pocket book as well.

Al R. Post of Cincinnati was a Jacksonville business visitor Saturday.

Christmas Gifts for Soldiers

A Gift from "someone" back home is one of the fighting man's greatest joys. No family or friend of a soldier now in camp in this country will fail to send some token of love and friendship.

We've made a study of the soldier's wants—and we're ready to serve you with gift articles that will please the boys.

Purchase your soldier gifts here and we will relieve you of the trouble of shipping.

OFFICIAL ARMY INSTRUCTIONS ON SOLDIER GIFTS

Christmas parcels for Soldiers in France will be taken by the War Department (not by the postal authorities) up to December 5. They must be addressed as follows:

(Name of Soldier)

(Unit to which he belongs)

Care of Commanding General

Port of Embarkation, Pier 1, Hoboken, N. J.

THEY MUST BE PACKED AND MAILED THUS:

Must conform to postal regulations.

Be inclosed in wooden boxes, not over two cubic feet in size.

Not to exceed 20 pounds.

To be well strapped.

To have hinged or screw top to facilitate opening and inspecting.

No perishable food products unless inclosed in cans or glass jars.

Each package should be plainly marked "Christmas Box."

Civilians should take note that packages sent by parcel post direct to soldiers must conform to the postal regulations which limit parcels to 7 pounds, while parcels sent in care of the commanding general at the port of embarkation may reach 20 pounds.

In either case the postage rate is 12 cents a pound.

Regulation Army Sweaters
Heavy Wool and Cash-
mere Hose
Poncho Slicker Coats
Sheep Lined Belted Coats

Khaki Handkerchiefs
Combination Sets
Sleeping Caps
Handkerchiefs and
Mirrors

Writing Kit
Toilet Sets
Outing Cloth
Night Shirts
Silk Handkerchief Flags

Jacksonville
Agency
Official Scout
Uniforms

MYERS BROTHERS.

The Gift Store
for the Boys at
Home and
"Over There"

ATTENTION! Come In Early

Don't fail to visit our Balcony Bazar when down town. You will find in our "Japanese Booth" a variety of wonderful gifts direct from the Orient. The dearest rose or grape shears that come in Oriental silk pockets, hand painted, with tassle at 35c and many other attractive gifts at reasonable prices.

Among the variety of leather goods in our **CORDOVA Booth** are Frames for my lady's picture just to fit the khaki pocket.

In the **Smoker's Booth** one can find anything to please the most fastidious man.

Tourist Booth—anything and everything for the traveler.

Come in and let us help you plan your Christmas list.

Lady Phyllis Nougats and Caramels, 44c the pound.

Fine high grade Chocolates "Jonson's" at \$1.00 the pound.

You must visit our Christmas show of Gifts on Balcony Floor. Many NEW THINGS this year. America's best are here at prices which will fit your purse.

IT'S OUR PLEASURE TO SHOW AND
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Coover & Shreve's

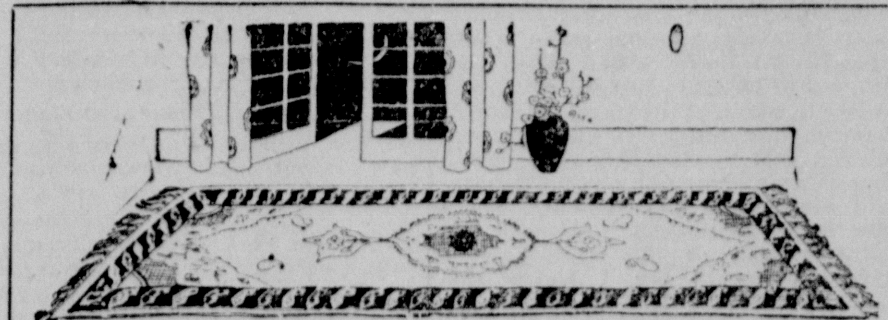
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East Side Store

Toys and Dolls at West Side Store

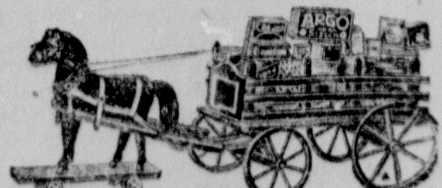


Upon the threshold of another Christmas Season, we are prompted to suggest that never before have we anticipated our purchases more in accord with the spirit of the times. This Christmas should be one of practical gifts, and you will find it easy to do your shopping for the entire family, at "The Store Where the Christmas Spirit Reigns."



WHITTALL RUGS—A gift of rare merit, acknowledged the most satisfactory rug in America. All qualities, all patterns, and all sizes for Christmas. 60x 27 inch Teprae Wilton \$6.00

"THE GOOD FAIRY". The gift that inspires the real Christmas spirit. Jesse McCutcheon Raleigh's wonderful idea of a charming decoration. Bronze and Radio-Luminous \$2.50



GIFTS FOR THE CHILDREN

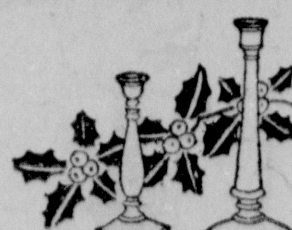
Our immense basement section with practical gifts for the "kiddies" is complete. Be sure to see this attractive display. Loaded Grocery Truck and Horse as illustrated \$1.50

YOU
Can Do All Your
Christmas Shopping
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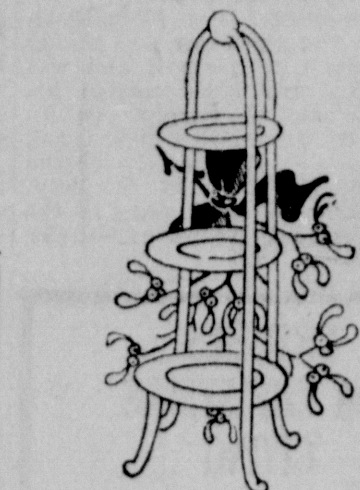
ENGLISH CRICKET

A gift of service and comfort. Solid mahogany, tapestry covered, English Cricket Foot Rests. Specially priced \$5.00

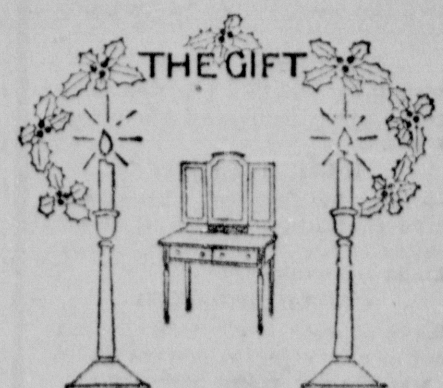


MAHOGANY CANDLE STICKS

For an attractive gift appreciated by all, we suggest Candle Sticks. We have them in brass, silver, etched glass, and mahogany. We offer this week a Candle Stick in mahogany finish, brass lining at 29c



MUFFIN STAND in solid mahogany and Hong Kong fibre. A desirable gift, and just a little different. Priced at . . . \$6.50 and \$8.50



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DRESSING TABLE Line Offers an immense gift opportunity. The assortment of designs and finish, including our usual quality will appeal to her as "the gift". Triple mirror, mahogany or walnut as illustrated \$27.50

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For 30 Years the
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